

U. S. PROPOSES THREE-POWER NAVAL PARLEY

Invites Great Britain and Japan to Geneva to Discuss Light Craft Limitation.

NO SUGGESTION OF PRECISE TONNAGE

Plan Is That France and Italy Send Observers — Periodic Revision a Possibility.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, March 8.—The United States has definitely proposed to Great Britain and Japan a three-power naval limitation conference to meet in Geneva not earlier than June 1.

In the event of acceptance by the London and Tokyo Governments, France and Italy probably will be asked to send representatives to the conference as observers.

The new invitation is understood to contain no definite formula for fixing maximum tonnage limitations on cruisers, destroyers and submarines.

Periodic Review.

The purpose of the conference at Geneva will be to explore the possibilities of arriving at an understanding of maximum tonnage limitations which could be accepted, particularly by Great Britain as a European Power and in view of the nonparticipation of France and Italy in the agreement.

The Washington Government recognizes that such limitations on construction as it hopes for must be subject to periodic review by the three Governments in the light of building programs by any Government not a party to the agreement.

It is believed here, however, that a satisfactory arrangement for reconsidering the maximum tonnage limitations in any class of auxiliary ships, annually, if necessary, can be worked out at Geneva.

To Consider 5-3-3 Ratio.

The 5-3-3 ratio applied to first-line naval vessels of the United States, Great Britain and Japan, respectively, by the Washington treaty, also will be considered if the three-power conference plan is accepted.

The Japanese acceptance of the original five-power plan indicated that Japan might seek a different ratio for smaller craft. Washington officials do not believe, however, that the ratio question will prove a real stumbling block at Geneva.

The tentative plan for inviting France and Italy to have official observers to the three-power conference is in line with the desire of the Washington Government to emphasize that it would have preferred a five-power discussion, and does not regard the points made in the French and Italian rejections as warranting a refusal to participate.

There is no indication when replies from London and Tokyo may be expected, although officials here are confident of ultimate acceptance.

The Japanese answer may be delayed several days as the sessions of the Japanese Diet now are approaching a close.

At the White House it was disclosed that President Coolidge regards the tentative efforts thus far received from abroad as promising for success of the three-power plan.

The President believes the five-power plan have been more promising in practical results than a three-power project could be, but he is anxious to do the next best thing if a five-power meeting is impossible.

Acceptance of Proposal Forecasts by British Officials.

By the Associated Press. LONDON, March 8.—That the British Government will accept President Coolidge's new proposal for a three-power naval limitation conference at Geneva, with Japan as the third party, was stated in Government circles today to be a foregone conclusion.

An official expression of Downing street's view could not be obtained because the actual invitation had not reached the Foreign Office early this evening.

A. C. Caldwell, politician, Dies.

By the Associated Press. LONDON, March 8.—A. C. Caldwell, 73 years old, retired Carbondale lawyer and prominent in Democratic politics for years, died at his winter home in Washington, according to word received by relatives here today.

Van Dyck Owned in St. Louis



QUEEN HENRIETTA MARIA, wife of Charles I of England, painted by Sir Anthony Van Dyck, which has just been added to the private gallery of Warner S. McCall, in his home at 5145 Lindell Boulevard. The portrait, one of three intended for a Greek sculptor commissioned to make a bust of the Queen, was presented by the King to Anne, Duchess of Hamilton, when the sculptor died before his task was completed. The Hamilton collection was sold in 1882.

Sinclair Defense Aims Attack at Senate Inquiries

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the purpose was to show what was the mind of Senator Adams when he questioned Sinclair before the committee.

"We cannot probe the dismal depths of senatorial minds in all of the questions appearing in the record," Littleton said. "We propose to offer the whole record here to show what Sinclair's attitude toward the committee was."

Justice Hitz sustained the objection.

Defense counsel again objected to the reading of a letter Fall wrote to the Senate Oil Committee late in 1923, when the committee was trying to get him to appear before it.

Defense Delays Statement.

The Government's opening statement by District Attorney Peyton Gordon was short and perfunctory. He merely recited the establishment of the Teapot Dome reserve in 1912, its leasing by Fall to Sinclair in 1922, the passage of the La Follette resolution directing the Walsh committee to investigate all the leases and the circumstances of Sinclair's refusal to testify.

The Government, he said, would show that the questions propounded to Sinclair were material and pertinent to the subject under inquiry, and would ask for a verdict of guilty.

Defense counsel reserved their opening statement until after the Government has closed its case. Presentation of the prosecution began with the introduction of various documents.

Littleton informed the prosecution that the defense would not contest the recorded facts in the history of the reserve and desired to expedite the case.

"While such good feeling exists, let me suggest that counsel might stipulate these facts," interposed Justice Hitz.

"No, I don't think we would care to go that far," objected George P. Hoover, of defense counsel.

Lacks Doheny's Personal Appeal.

Sinclair is wholly lacking in the sentimental appeal of his fellow oil magnate, E. L. Doheny. Here is no grizzled little ex-pro prospector, with a burr in his tongue and a twinkle in his eye. The massive bald head, heavy brows and upturned nose of Sinclair are thoroughly expressive of big business.

Surrounded by his high-priced lawyers, one of whom gave him advice which he followed in refusing to answer Senator Walsh's questions, he faced the jury impassively, with confidence written in every line and gesture.

The six questions Sinclair refused to answer before the Senate committee were read to the jury.

The six questions related:

1. To Sinclair's payment of \$250,000 to Fred G. Bonilla, Denver newspaper publisher, and Leo Stack of Denver, for relinquishing his claim to Teapot Dome.

"reserve any evidence I may be able to give for those courts."

Adams testified that the Senate Public Lands Committee was sitting March 22, 1924, when Sinclair appeared. Similar testimony was given by Senator Smoot (Rep.) of Utah, a former chairman of the committee.

Sinclair Walsh (Dem.) of Montana, prosecutor of the oil inquiry, testified over objections by Hoover that the committee was sitting in the hall of the House of Representatives.

Walsh said Sinclair refused to answer the questions enumerated in the indictment.

Walsh said Sinclair was forbidden telling what was in his mind when he questioned Sinclair.

Jury Must Decide Whether Refusal to Answer Was Justified.

PRIOR to the occasion on which he refused to answer, Sinclair had testified before the committee several times at length. But those appearances had preceded the disclosures of corruption in connection with his lease on Teapot Dome and E. L. Doheny's lease on Elk Hills. When he was called back the last time, the story of the "little black bag" and Doheny's \$100,000 "loan" to Fall was out. The fact that Sinclair had advanced Fall \$35,000 in bonds and cash, was also out. The whole situation had changed completely.

Anticipating, therefore, that Sinclair might refuse to answer, Senator Walsh had carefully prepared a list of questions. It is for refusing to answer six of these questions that the oil magnate is now on trial.

In refusing, he did not plead the danger of self-incrimination. He declined to take refuge under that right, asserting it would humiliate him to do so, and that the committee not only had no right to ask the questions, but had no right to embarrass him by compelling him to raise the plea of possible self-incrimination.

In making his refusal, Sinclair said the Senate had authorized the employment of special counsel to open legal proceedings against him, and for him to answer might jeopardize his interests. He said also he was advised by his counsel to refuse to answer, on the ground that the inquiry had passed out of the Senate's hands.

Prior to his taking the stand, Martin W. Littleton, his attorney, formerly a Congressman from New York, had addressed to the committee a violent and denunciatory protest against the summoning of his client and had drawn from Senator Walsh a severe rebuke.

Justification Is the Issue.

It is admitted that the facts constitute a prima facie case of contempt. The defense does not dispute that Sinclair declined to answer the question for the jury to decide in refusing, hence it would appear that the case will consist mainly of argument. However, the defense may present considerable testimony for the purpose of showing the circumstances which persuaded Sinclair that he was within his rights in refusing.

The case is of arresting importance. Not only may Sinclair, one of the richest men in the world, have to serve time in a common jail, but the outcome may indicate the fate which awaits Samuel Insull, Chicago traction magnate, and other witnesses who defied the "slush fund" committee headed by Senator Reed of Missouri.

Most important of all, it may determine the nature of future congressional investigations, and the status of unwilling witnesses. In the Mal Daugherty case, the Supreme Court virtually gave the Senate and House free rein in conducting

NOLTE INQUIRES NO REPORTS OF ILLEGAL TAX CUTS

Chief Clerk William Hoeftle and Assessor Gehner Declare Charges Unfounded and Tinged With Politics.

Comptroller Nolte is investigating complaints made to him that a number of taxpayers have been made beneficiaries of unlawful reduction of their personal property assessments by William Hoeftle, chief clerk in the Assessor's office. Hoeftle, a candidate for the Republican nomination for Alderman from the Second Ward and Assessor Gehner assert that the charges are unfounded and are made to defeat Hoeftle's candidacy.

Hoeftle is making one of the warmest fights in the Alderman campaign, which will end at Friday's primary, his opponent being Dr. Edward Randall, the incumbent. Hoeftle was against the election of Gus Oetting, former Supply Commissioner as a Republican City Committeeman from that ward last summer, and Oetting is supporting Dr. Randall now. Comptroller Nolte, who is friendly to Oetting, lives in the Second Ward.

It is known that Committeeman Oetting and Alderman Randall have been talking to acquaintances about Hoeftle's alleged activity in reduction of assessments. Complaints made to the Assessor's office of reductions and that it was his duty to investigate such matters, regardless of the possible political aspect of the matter, by the head of the Department of Finance, which includes the Assessor's office. The complaints, he related, were that Hoeftle arbitrarily inserted figures lower than were proper on returns.

Auto Tax in Question.

Yesterday the Comptroller sent for the last return of a taxpayer owning seven automobiles used in his business, which he had been told was made too low. These machines, according to a State Tax Commission schedule, should have been valued at \$7,500 in the return.

Nolte increased the return to the schedule rate.

The taxpayer, Nolte said, declared Hoeftle had visited his office for the last several years to get his return. He said the trouble of visiting City Hall, and the story of the "little black bag" and Doheny's \$100,000 "loan" to Fall was out. The fact that Sinclair had advanced Fall \$35,000 in bonds and cash, was also out. The whole situation had changed completely.

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ARMY ASSISTING IN SHANGHAI DEFENSE JOINS CANTONESE

Defection of Force of Anti-wet Governor Forces Change to Face Menace in Rear.

By the Associated Press. SHANGHAI, China, March 8.—Shanghai's northern defenders under Gen. Chang Tsung-chang today found themselves facing a new menace.

The Cantoneses have strongly occupied Wuhu, about 65 miles up the Yangtze from Nanking and roughly 200 miles west of this city. The definite alignment of Chen Tiao-yung, Governor of Anhwei Province, with the Cantoneses, taking with him the Southern Anhwei forces, has compelled Gen. Chang, while standing off the Cantoneses in Kiangsu, to wheel about and guard his rear against the new menace toward Nanking.

The Anhwei ground had been counted on to aid in the defense of Shanghai.

Southern Army Concentrating.

The Nationalist, or southern, army is concentrating for an attack on Soochow, which, if successful, would enable it to sever the Shanghai-Nanking Railway and place the southerners in a position to fight their way eastward toward Shanghai. The northern army continues to send reinforcements to Soochow so as to be ready to meet the attack.

Labor elements in Shanghai are engaging in terrorist methods in preparation for a general strike, which it is charged by the North-erners is being instigated by the Cantoneses. In the last 24 hours a small stream of laborers has been sent to the north, and another wounded.

Chen's Forces Concentrate.

Chen Tiao-yung is concentrating his forces in connection with Cantoneses from Chekiang, and adherents of the Kuomintang (Peoples' Republic) forces, and the combination holds Anhwei Province as far north as Luchow.

Chang Tsung-chang still controls Northeastern Anhwei, through which runs the Tientsin-Pukow Railway, the main communication with his home base, Chu Yu-Pu, Military Governor of Chihli, and one of the big five of the allied northern armies has been entrusted with the defense of the railway. He has brought considerable forces down toward Hangchow.

Mme. Borodin on Seized Ship.

Mme. Borodin, wife of Michael Borodin, adviser to the Canton Government, it is rumored here, was aboard the Soviet steamer Pamiat Lenina, whose seizure by Shanghai troops on Saturday was the subject of a note from the Russian Embassy at Peking to the Peking Foreign Office.

It is reported from Japanese sources at Nanking that Mme. Borodin was escorted to Tsinan-Fu by Shanghai troops.

In its note to the Peking Government, the Soviet Embassy demanded immediate release of the vessel and its crew and passengers. The Embassy declared the Chinese Government would be held responsible for their safety.

The threat against Nanking by the Anhwei forces coupled with the previously reported drive by General Chiang Kai-shek's Cantoneses against Soochow, indicates that the Shanghai defenders of the Shanghai are being caught in a pincers movement.

pressed an opinion. Yet notwithstanding the celebrity of the case, and the fact that Washington it took less than two hours to find 12 not gifted with the required lack of information and opinion. The 12 are:

C. Bell, 62 years old, motorman; E. Brown, 23, butcher; Emory E. James, 25, electrician; Charles F. Brown, 25, railway clerk; John J. Schultz, 53, grocer; R. E. Kelly, 63, clerk in a department store; William B. Meade, 58, employed at the Chevy Chase Country Club garage; Archie A. Moore, 47, insurance solicitor; Joseph D. Snellings, 42, cigar salesman; Raymond G. Thom, 34, electrician; Isadore Turfitt, 58, watch repairer; Albert E. Vandierick, 25, real estate salesman.

The jurors will be under no surveillance during the trial and will be free to come and go. In fact, in dismissing them yesterday, Justice Hitz did not even caution them not to discuss the case, as is customary in the local courts.

As this is a misdemeanor case, each side was entitled only to three peremptory challenges, all of which were exhausted. The Government then this right exercised a book-keeper formerly employed by a bank in which Sinclair is a large depositor; a youthful grocery clerk and a negro janitor. The defense eliminated a church organist, the manager of a railway press bureau, who had been swindled on oil stock, and a negro messenger.

Among those excused for cause was Julian B. Bolling, brother of Mrs. Woodrow Wilson. Bolling looked grim as he stated that he had a fixed opinion about the case and nobody was in much doubt as to the nature of his opinion. Another excused for cause was one who had been on the grand jury which indicted Sinclair.

PRISON INVESTIGATION CENTERS ON \$15,000 SHORTAGE STORY

Senate Body Adjourns After Whole-Sale Testifies He Refused to Concur in Inventory.

By the Associated Press. JEFFERSON CITY, March 8.—Senate inquiry into the management of the Missouri Penitentiary was adjourned yesterday, after more than 30 witnesses had been examined, to give the committee members an opportunity to prepare for a final report.

Examination yesterday centered around purchasing of supplies for the institution and attempts of Dr. Cortez P. Enloe, chairman of the prison board to "explain" a shortage of \$15,000 in an inventory of the prison commissary in January, 1926.

Ralph Hammond, manager of a Jefferson City wholesale firm, testified he had been called in to superintend the inventory of the prison commissary which checked up \$15,000 short. Dr. Enloe suggested calling Ben Harrison, Springfield merchant, to help explain the shortage. According to Hammond's testimony, Harrison submitted a list of amounts to be charged off various items for shrinkage. Hammond said he refused to concur in this suggestion as "he would not jeopardize his standing."

The inventory also showed a shortage of 6508 gallons of gasoline, according to Hammond. He said Dr. Enloe had prepared a statement for Hammond's guidance, which suggested that Hammond "find that only prison cars were getting gasoline, and that the shortage was due to a leaking tank." Hammond refused to take any part in this proceeding.

2000 ARE KILLED IN EARTHQUAKE IN WESTERN JAPAN

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signed by Capt. Alexander Collier, follows:

"Ship undamaged. Heavy sea in lower dished over pier causing gangway structure and dock to part. Passengers in upper shed, on feeling dock rock, rushed on board for safety. Gangway parted during violent quake, throwing one passenger to lower dock and into water, and I regret to report death of Mrs. Glen Schultze of 5116 Ventnor avenue, Ventnor, N. J., from shock and immersion.

"Minor injuries suffered three members crew. Also George Francis, steward, head injury sustained diving from ship while making heroic efforts rescue lady passenger between ship and dock. All other passengers and crew uninjured and well."

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., March 8.—Mrs. Jessie Glen Schultze, who lost her life during yesterday's earthquake in Japan, was 60 years of age and had lived in Ventnor four or five years. She was the widow of Judge Herbert Schultze of Philadelphia. Her only known relatives live in Seattle. She had no children.

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SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA SEEKS NEW SECRETARY-MANAGER

Philadelphia Man Asked to Consider Post Made Vacant by Resignation of G. R. Robinson.

Seeking a successor to George R. Robinson, who has tendered his resignation as secretary-manager of the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra, an invitation to consider the position was sent yesterday to William Walters, business manager of the Curtis Institute of Music at Philadelphia, by George D. Markham, chairman of the St. Louis Symphony Society.

Walters was formerly business manager of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra and it is understood he will be released shortly by the Philadelphia School. Robinson is resigning after a year in office because he considers the work too exacting and possibly injurious to his health.

Boys Carry Dynamite to School.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Five pupils of Central High School chose to carry dynamite to their classes, instead of the usual pocket trifles. The dynamite, said to have been found during an exploration in the woods, has been confiscated by the police. The last stick was recovered last night when a policeman raided the headquarters of the group in a deserted frame building.

Church Organist Sued By Wife.

Suit for separate maintenance today was filed at Clayton by Mrs. Elizabeth Mary Leigh, 740 Westgate avenue, against Fountain Pierce Leigh, church organist. They were married Feb. 2, 1910, and separated last September. Mrs. Leigh asks the custody and maintenance of a 10-year-old daughter, Frances Louise.

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SEEKS MANAGER
George R. Anderson, 30, of Chicago, has been named as the new manager of the orchestra, the post-William of the Philharmonic, which is to be re-organized to work for the University of Chicago.

SCHOOL
The five school children of the Anderson family have been named as the new members of the orchestra, the post-William of the Philharmonic, which is to be re-organized to work for the University of Chicago.

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ATTRACTED CITY'S ATTENTION TWICE

Model for Painting Married Chicago Broker Who Admired Pose, Divorced Him and Wed Plunger.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch, NEW YORK, March 8.—Mrs. Isabelle Mulhall McHie, formerly of St. Louis, who started her friends three years ago with the announcement that she would leave her entire fortune to a home for dogs, changed her mind and her will recently because of her estrangement from her husband, Sidney McHie, retired New York stock speculator.

She is living here and her husband is reported to be "somewhere West," and they have not seen each other for six months, she told reporters today. The will bequeathing her fortune to dogs had been made with his consent. Since the estrangement they have arranged a money settlement and she no longer feels that A. S. P. C. A. should benefit from her estate. Her epitaph: "The more I saw of people, the more I thought of dogs," which was paraphrased, was to have been engraved on a bust of herself containing her ashes. These plans all are changed now and Mrs. McHie has made a new will. She refuses to disclose its contents, avoiding questions with "I remembered everybody."

Attracted Attention in 1896. The career of Mrs. McHie began in St. Louis in 1896, when she was an attractive brunette of 20 and resided with her mother, Mrs. Susan J. Mulhall, at 2920 Lawton avenue, then a fashionable street. Jack Cunningham, a St. Louis artist, chose her as the model for the central figure of a painting entitled "The Maturity of St. Louis." This canvas was set up in the Phyllis Hotel there.

Albert H. Delmont, a Chicago broker, saw the picture and was attracted by the beauty of the central figure. Learning that the original lived in St. Louis, he started a whirlwind courtship. His 40-year-old distinguished manner, and certain tall tales he told of wealthy connections in Chicago won Miss Mulhall and they were married on March 25, 1896. Delmont took his bride to Chicago.

In Chicago Mrs. Delmont learned that her husband was not all he had represented himself to be. His firm was expelled from the Board of Trade and he was obliged to give up the mansion on Michigan boulevard in which he had installed his bride. In 1901 he deserted her and she went to New York to find work as a show girl. He divorced her two years later. She had fallen to poverty by this time and began clerking in a store on State street, Chicago.

Week Spectacular Plunger.

One of the first plays, in which Mrs. Delmont appeared was "The Criminal Girl." For eight years she was a moderately successful actress and then she met Sidney McHie. They were married in 1909. At this time McHie was a spectacular plunger on the Consolidated Exchange. He was reputed to have amassed a fortune of several million dollars.

The McHies lived for many years in a 6-story mansion at 18 Fifty-third street. Mrs. McHie attracted attention by evidence of "temperament" which usually took the form of some misanthropic object. She objected to children and on one occasion appealed to the Rev. Ernest M. Stiles, then pastor of St. Thomas' Church, to help the choir boys screaming on Sunday. The church, across from her home, was closed for Sunday school. She complained that several boys hounded a ball in the neighborhood of the McHie home. She objected to children playing in the street on West Fifty-third street on Sunday. Her home was situated at 18 Fifty-third street. She was reported to have been in the police for protection. She installed a sound-amplifying device and played Caruso records every Sunday to "drown out" the children from the church.

The bitterness thus engendered turned Mrs. McHie to anti-social for comfort and she developed an intense liking for dogs. The announcement of her unusual will followed. Now Mrs. McHie was engaged in a dispute with the St. Clair Hotel, Madison avenue and Fifty-second street, asserting that the hotel had slandered her in the past. The controversy is settled. Mrs. McHie will travel in the Far East "as far east as possible" in search of peace.

Changes Her Mind and Will



—Photo by Underwood & Underwood from a Painting. MRS. SIDMON MCHIE.

DOG-RACING RABBIT CHASED INTO COURT

Inventor's Widow Fighting to Retain Exclusive Control of Mechanical Bunny.

The legal fight to retain exclusive rights to the mechanical rabbit patent, which made a fortune for its inventor, the late Owen P. Smith, through its use at greyhound racing tracks throughout the country, is being carried on by the inventor's widow.

Mrs. Smith, who is conducting her fight from a palatial home at 1840 E. 12th, built from the earnings of the rabbit, last Saturday obtained a temporary injunction in Federal Court at New Orleans to stop the Louisiana Greyhound Racing Association from using a similar device which, she alleges, is an infringement on her husband's patent.

Officers of the association claim their device is a hurdlings rabbit and that it is not the rabbit Smith invented. They were granted 90 days to perfect an appeal from the injunction. Similar suits filed by Smith during his lifetime were settled out of court to the advantage of the inventor.

Smith's Rabbit Patented in 1921. The financial success of the invention was as swift and thrilling as the flight around the various greyhound tracks where it is employed to lure the racing dogs to new records for fleetness. The device, a stuffed rabbit attached to an arm operated by an electrical driven wheel on a hidden track at the outer rim of the race course, made its bow to the sporting world at Emeryville, Cal., in 1921, the year Smith obtained a patent on the "bunny."

Courtesy greyhounds with live rabbits was outlawed years previously because of the cruelty involved. The absence of the cruel nature and legalized betting made Smith's invention immediately successful financially. The same year greyhound tracks were established at Chanute, Kan.; Tulsa, Ok., and East St. Louis. As an example of the financial return to the inventor, the St. Clair Amusement Co., operating the East St. Louis track, paid Smith \$25,000 for the right to use the rabbit and the barrier cages, from which the dogs are released, the first season.

Litigation Begins at Once. The phenomenal success of the invention brought the inventor into legal litigation almost immediately. By Mrs. Gertrude E. Ryckman of Los Angeles, Cal., brought suit against Smith, alleging that she owned a sixth interest in the invention but had received no part of the \$75,000 which Smith had collected from the promoters of tracks during the first few months of operation. This suit was settled. Others followed, brought by Smith for alleged infringements on his patent.

The fact that dog racing waned for a period, resulting in the closing of several tracks, including the one at East St. Louis, did not deter Smith. The first fruits of the invention had convinced him that he held the patent to a "good thing."

STABBED IN FIGHT WITH HOLDUP MAN

John Flynn, 34, Wounded in Struggle With Negro, Who Flees With Loot.

John Flynn, 34 years old, of 2333 Dodder street, was seriously stabbed last night when he fought with a Negro, who held him up with a knife on Eleventh street, near Clark avenue, at 8 o'clock.

Judge J. T. White and David E. Blair concurred in the opinion and Judge R. F. Walker concurred in the result. Woody was shot to death when he and another officer attempted to arrest Gregory and several other "ouths in an automobile."

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SLAYER OF OFFICER BEATS CONVICTION IN SUPREME COURT

Division No. 2 Remands Case of Albert Gregory, Sentenced for Life for Killing Sergt. Woody.

By the Jefferson City Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch. JEFFERSON CITY, March 8.—The conviction of Albert Gregory of St. Louis, sentenced to life imprisonment for the murder of Police Sergt. Robert E. Woody, was reversed yesterday by Division No. 2 of the Missouri Supreme Court, and remanded for new trial by the Circuit Court, on the ground the juvenile division of the Circuit Court, which sentenced Gregory, had no jurisdiction.

The Supreme Court declared unconstitutional an amendment to the juvenile court law, passed in 1923, which gave juvenile court jurisdiction over minors up to the age of 18, while the limit remained at 17 in counties of less than 50,000. Prior to adoption of the amendment the limit was 17 in all counties.

It was under this amendment that the indictment against Gregory, then 17, was transferred from Circuit Court to the juvenile division where he was tried on Nov. 17, 1925.

Commissioner Walter N. Davis, who wrote the opinion, held the age-limit difference in the statute prevented uniform application of the laws and was an unreasonable distinction between persons or classes. Holding the amendment unconstitutional, the commissioner stated the transfer of Gregory's case to the juvenile division was irregular and his trial there without effect.

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FOUR JACK DANIEL DEFENDANTS TO GO BACK TO PRISON

Nat Goldstein's Plea to Trial Judge for Clemency Being Presented by Congressman Dyer.

Four St. Louisans convicted of the Jack Daniel distillery conspiracy probably will return to Federal penitentiary at Leavenworth early next week to complete their sentences while the return to prison of the other St. Louis defendant, Nat Goldstein, former Circuit Clerk and Republican politician, is dependent upon the action taken by Federal Judge Hartzell on Goldstein's application for probation.

Another defendant who joined in the unsuccessful appeal to the United States Supreme Court, Harry F. Stratton of Cincinnati, is expected to return to prison with the St. Louis defendants—Michael J. Whalen, former member of the St. Louis Democratic City Committee; Daniel A. O'Neill, former Deputy Constable; Morris Multin and Harry Levin.

The mandate for the immediate commitment of the six defendants to Leavenworth prison was issued yesterday by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals at Chicago and was forwarded to the District Clerk at Indianapolis, where the defendants were convicted.

Charles A. Houts, attorney for Goldstein, Multin, Levin and Stratton, expects Marshal Alf O. Meloy to arrive here early next week to take the defendants to the penitentiary.

Attorneys say the law is vague as to whether the defendants will be credited with time already spent at Leavenworth. The attorneys thing this is a matter for the Warden to decide.

AWAKENED BY BOMB ON BED

Contractor in Dallas, Tex., Pulls Fuse, Throws Out Explosive.

DALLAS, Tex., March 8.—The cool nerve of Hugh J. Barr, a contractor, early today saved the lives of himself and family when a dynamite bomb was hurled on his bed by an unknown assailant.

Mrs. Barr was awakened by something that struck her face and awakening her husband, they discovered a sputtering bomb lying on the covers. Barr seized the dynamite, jerked out the fuse and threw it from a window. Their 4-year-old son was sleeping nearby and six other children were in other rooms.

Barr offered a \$1000 reward for apprehension of the attacker. He said he was at a loss to account for the attack. Police do not attach any connection between this attempt and three recent efforts to burn and blow up with dynamite Negro homes in a section where whites and Negroes are in dispute over residential rights.

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Monkeyshines of Spring, 1927, Getting Under Way at the Zoo

Mike, the Talented Chimpanzee, Takes Up "the Dawnc" and Idling Crowds Supply Another Certain Harbinger.

Signs of spring at the Zoo are many and hopeful, as pointed out today by Superintendent Vierzeller, despite the patches in the greening turf of Forest Park, barren tree-boughs above budding lilac and forsythia along the paths that lead that way, and the relative scarcity of colds in the herd.

For one sign, Mike, the talented chimpanzee, has taken up "the dawnc." He waltzes at 3 every afternoon, in the whirlwind vaudeville act produced by himself and two accomplices, Duffy and Henry, but he waltzes alone. Spring has not yet thawed the simian frigidity of Mike, the lady chimp. Despite her frivolous name, she is still a home-body, a truly old-fashioned girl. She remains in her cage while "the menfolk" make a spectacle of themselves, regarding them most austere, and occasionally, with a dignity that makes it a gesture of infinite contempt, scratching herself.

Vierzeller plans to make the chimpanzees show a continuing performance of three or four shows this summer, because of another sign of spring—a capacity attendance last Sunday, with about 15,000 visiting the monkey house and automobiles parked along the drives all the way to Skinker road.

Reptile House Opens June 1. Other signs he pointed to with pride were an increase by 11 of the Zoo population, partly by immigrants and partly by operation of the birth rate among St. Louis leopards; a number of other immigrants on the way; impending opening of a complete display of prominent members of the swine family, including the ugliest and the "prettiest," and extensive plans for the \$125,000 reptile house to be opened June 1.

Those pythons shown last year, 16 feet and nine feet long, were mere babies to the pythons he'll have here this summer. They are to be from 22 to 27 feet long. Already on the way are venomous hooded cobras from India and crocodiles from Africa. Soon Vierzeller will lead an invasion of Missouri bottoms and rocky creeks to collect local snakes, partly to display here and partly for exchange, and importations for the reptile house will be coming in by the score between now and June 1.

Will the snakes be popular? "The crowd almost boistered us to death Sunday," Vierzeller replied. "Last summer, when only about 60 varieties were displayed in a temporary reptile house, we counted 16,000 visitors one Sunday afternoon. Popular? Why, the monkey house will be nothing compared to the new reptile house."

Wants to Eradicate Fear. "It will give us the first opportunity to do some real educational work. Many women and children have an inherent fear of snakes that sometimes makes them miserable. We mean to eradicate that morbid fear, though not to teach

foolhardiness. A man who knows snakes from A to Z will be there ready to answer everybody's questions."

The baby leopards, Ed and Hilda, were born on Dec. 19 and promptly abandoned by their mother. Baby tigers so abandoned had died, but an effort was made to save the leopards by hand feeding. A medicine dropper first was used to give them milk. Within a few days they were "going after" the bottle. Now they take a half-pint of meat with their daily drink, and soon will be on a meat diet altogether. They are about the size of house cats, downy and playful as a pair of kittens.

Ugliest of the swine has arrived. It is the wart hog, an African beast with a warty snout and villainous crooked tusks. The "prettiest," a pair of bush-pigs, glossy brown with black legs and face, penciled with white around the ears and eyes, are being sought.

Cousins of Mr. Pig. The head of the family, the wild boar, a fierce roamer of European forests which once provided much sport hunting and good eating, is represented by a pair of young given to the Zoo this winter by August A. Busch, Peccaries, from the arid regions of the Southwest, already were part of the collection. The four cousins of the pig are to be displayed together in four runs, two of which have been completed.

A llama and its baby have arrived, the young born in the six-months' journey from South America, which was by way of Europe to evade customs on direct importation from South America.

So have a pair of pronged antelope, nearly extinct on this continent; an African civet cat and an Andean condor with a nine-foot wing spread, distinguished cousin of the Missouri turkey buzzard.

Helms Weds Son of Laborer. By Associated Press. MUSCATINE, Ia., March 8.—Miss Ruth Vetter, 20-year-old Iowa University student, has been married at Rockford, Ill., to Sherburne R. Phillips, whose father is a workman here in the button industry, largely developed by the bride's millionaire father, F. C. Vetter. Phillips and his bride, who are sophomores at the University of Iowa, probably will

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"STUDENT" DRY AGENT TRAPS BOOTLEGGERS

16 Arrested Mostly on Charges
With Supplying Liquor to
Arkansas U. Youth.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., March
8.—On evidence furnished by a
prohibition agent who since Feb.
1 has been enrolled at the Uni-
versity of Arkansas as a student,
16 persons were arrested yesterday,
most of them on charges of fur-
nishing students with whiskey and
wine.

Hiram Sutterfield, federal dep-
uty prohibition administrator, said
the sole aim had been to appre-
hend and prosecute bootleggers
supplying students with liquor.
"While some of the students have
technically violated the law, no
action will be taken against them,"
he said.

There is no drinking whatever
among the girls at the university,
according to C. J. Wallace, prohibi-
tion agent, from Louisville, Ky.,
who posed as a student at the uni-
versity.

Federal and county officers be-
gan rounding up offenders yester-
day. The prisoners are being ar-
ranged before United States Com-
missioner Grabel at Fayetteville.

Those arrested thus far are:
Walter Atkins, Tom Nation, Burl
Montgomery, Andy Jones, Lillie
McKenzie, Oscar McKenzie, Cora
Monds of Fayetteville; Charlie
Farna, John Temple, Finley Harris,
Negroes, of Fayetteville; Gus Ceola
of Tontitown, Columbus Stanphill,
Bud Stanphill, Claud Graham, Vir-
gil Ramsey and Mrs. Virgil Ram-
sey of Springdale.

WARRANT CHARGES DAUGHTER OF RABBI WITH PETTY LARCENY

Miss Sarah Grodsky Accused of
Stealing Scarf and Gloves at
Department Store.

A warrant charging petty larceny
was issued today against Miss
Sarah Grodsky, 19 years old,
daughter of Rabbi Jacob J. Grod-
sky of the Beth Abraham Congre-
gation, who was arrested at the Fa-
mous & Barr department store at
2 p. m. yesterday.

Miss Grodsky, who gave her ad-
dress as 6555 Cabanne avenue, the
Grodsky residence, and said she is
employed by her father as a sto-
nographer, was arrested as she left
the store with a silk scarf and a
pair of gloves, having a total value
of \$5.75, which detectives asserted
she had not purchased.

Miss Grodsky's brother, who ob-
tained her release on \$200 bond,
declared she had been asked to
hold the articles found in her pos-
session by a woman shopper. "My
sister has an open account at the
store and can buy what she wants.
It is ridiculous to charge that she
stole anything," the brother said.

REGULATION OF BUTTER AND EGG BUSINESS DISCUSSED

Missouri Shippers Hear Outline of
Proposed Legislation Pending
in New York.

Plans to regulate the butter and
egg business to protect both pro-
ducer and public were discussed
yesterday at the convention of the
Missouri Egg and Poultry Shippers'
Association at Hotel Statler.

Benjamin Simon, representative
of the Attorney-General's office of
New York, and A. N. Bueckel of
the Department of Agriculture at
Washington, told of legislation now
pending at Albany which would
create a commission to control the
butter and egg commerce in New
York State. The commission would
have three members, representing
the shipper, buyer and consumer.

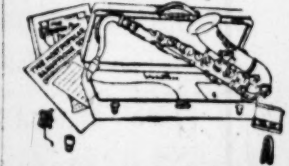
VANDERBILT HEIRESS A MOTHER
By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, March 8.—Mrs.
Arl E. T. Smith, the former Con-
suelo Vanderbilt, gave birth to a
daughter at her home here yester-
day. The child is the first grand-
child to Mr. and Mrs. William K.
Vanderbilt, parents of Mrs. Smith,
and is the sixth in line from Com-
modore Vanderbilt, founder of the
family in this country.

The child's maternal grandmoth-
er is the former Miss Virginia Fair,
daughter of the late United States
Senator and Mrs. James Fair of
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2000 Pairs of Women's New Shoes

Special Purchase Group—Exceptional Values at \$2.00

These are not ordinary \$2.00 Shoes, but Shoes that were specially pur-
chased to sell in this sale at \$2.00. All are in styles suitable for various
occasions. Well made and will give splendid service.

Included are step-in pumps, strap styles, cut-out Oxfords,
colonial pumps, sport Oxfords and others of patent and tan
leathers, black satin, reptilian effects and those trimmed
with the newest fancy leathers. You will find styles
with high heels as well as low walking heels.



Sizes
3 to 8
in the Lot

Special! 45-Inch
New Fringed Panels
\$1.37 to \$3.47

These Panels are in a most unusual
assortment of fine patterns in shadow
lace, filet weave and combination ef-
fects—scalloped at the base and fin-
ished with rayon fringe.

Lace Curtains, \$1.97 Pair
Filet weave Curtains with overlapped
borders—good range of patterns—ivory
or ecru tints—2½ yards long.
(Downstairs Store.)

Special! Seconds of
Bobolink Silk Hose
69c 3 Pairs \$2

PURE thread-silk Hose, silk above the
knee to lisle tops—have three-
seamed backs and high-spliced heels
and toes. Come in the new light shades
and black. Sizes 8½ to 10.

Men's Silk Socks, 35c Pair
Pure thread-silk with double soles and
high-spliced heels—in the new colors;
also silk and rayon Hose, seconds.
(Downstairs Store.)

Special! Group of
Rayon Wash Fabrics
39c Yard

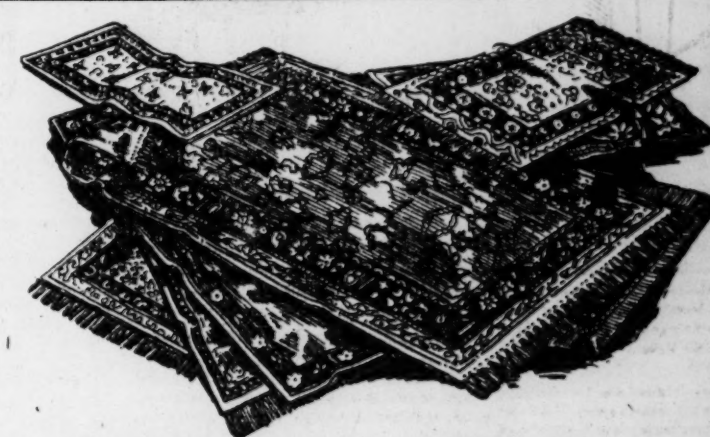
Included are plain-colored rayon-
mixed crepe in Jacquard designs. Tis-
sue gingham in small checks and plaids.
Rayon-mixed alpaca in solid shades.

Silk-Warp Fabrics
49c Yard

Silk and lisle fabrics in neat designs.
Nobby silk and silk underwear fabrics.
Printed rayon-mixed Alpaca in the new
Spring styles.

3 o'Clock Special

36-Inch Broadcloth, 19c Yard
Mercerized cotton Broadcloth in
shades of tan and orchid—slightly
soiled on edge—extra good quality—
1200 yards to sell.
(Downstairs Store.)



Wednesday—Sale of
9x12 Axminster Rugs
\$24.90

A LARGE purchase of standard grade Axminster Rugs is offered
at this price that presents excellent values. Every Rug is per-
fect and these is an array of beautiful patterns and colors from which
to make selection. Suitable for most any room in the home.

Wilton Velvet Rugs
9x12 Size \$35.70

High-grade seamless Rugs in a
selection of the newest patterns
in the wanted colorings. Ex-
traordinary values.

\$1.98

Axminster Rugs in
choice pattern in
shades of tan or taupe
—size 24.5x36 inches
—will harmonize with
the large Rugs.



\$2.79

Heavy grade Axmin-
ster Rugs in size 27x34
inches — in numerous
choice patterns, includ-
ing open ground, Chi-
nese, etc.

\$6.76

Wilton velvet Rugs
in size 3x5 ft.—all are
finished with fringe—
just 118 to sell at this
low price. Suitable for
reception halls, etc.

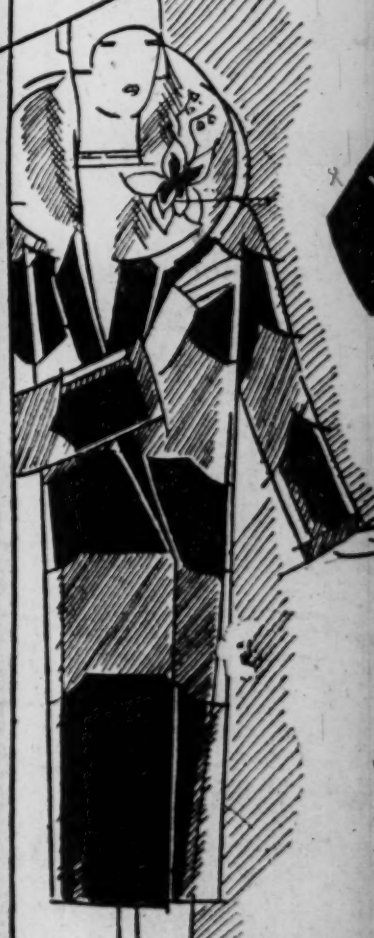
9x12 Congoleum Rugs
Perfect—Very Special at \$7.49

Genuine guaranteed Congoleum
and Neponset Rugs in four choice
patterns. May be used in kitchen,
dining room, bedroom, etc.: all are
perfect. Early selection is advised as the quan-
tity is limited. Other sizes priced in proportion.
(Downstairs Store.)

Also—Misses' jacket-trunk of
very blue crepe; The white blouse
has a bow; the jacket lined with
vivid orange and the skirt com-
bines the three colors.....\$96

Also—Misses' Coat of Dragon
Satin alternating the dull and
lustrous surfaces; collar of white
Baby Fox.....\$166

Also—The striking combination
of white Broadtail in silk, reverse,
pockets and collar... on a black
coat for madame.....\$195



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Axminster Rugs
6x9 Size \$23.80

Finest grade Rugs from a most
dependable manufacturer—all
are seamless—mill rejects, but
splendid values.

79 \$6.76

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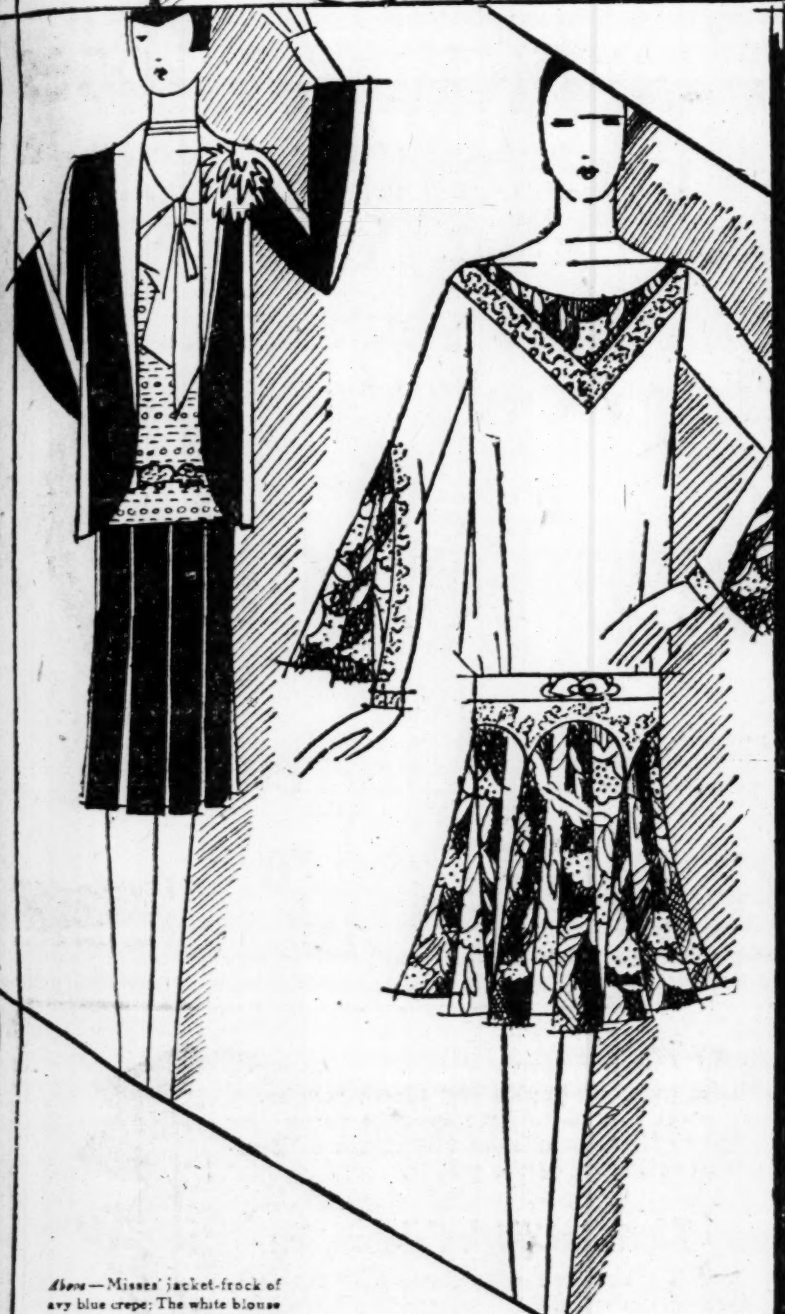
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[GRAND-LEADER]

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FOR SPRING

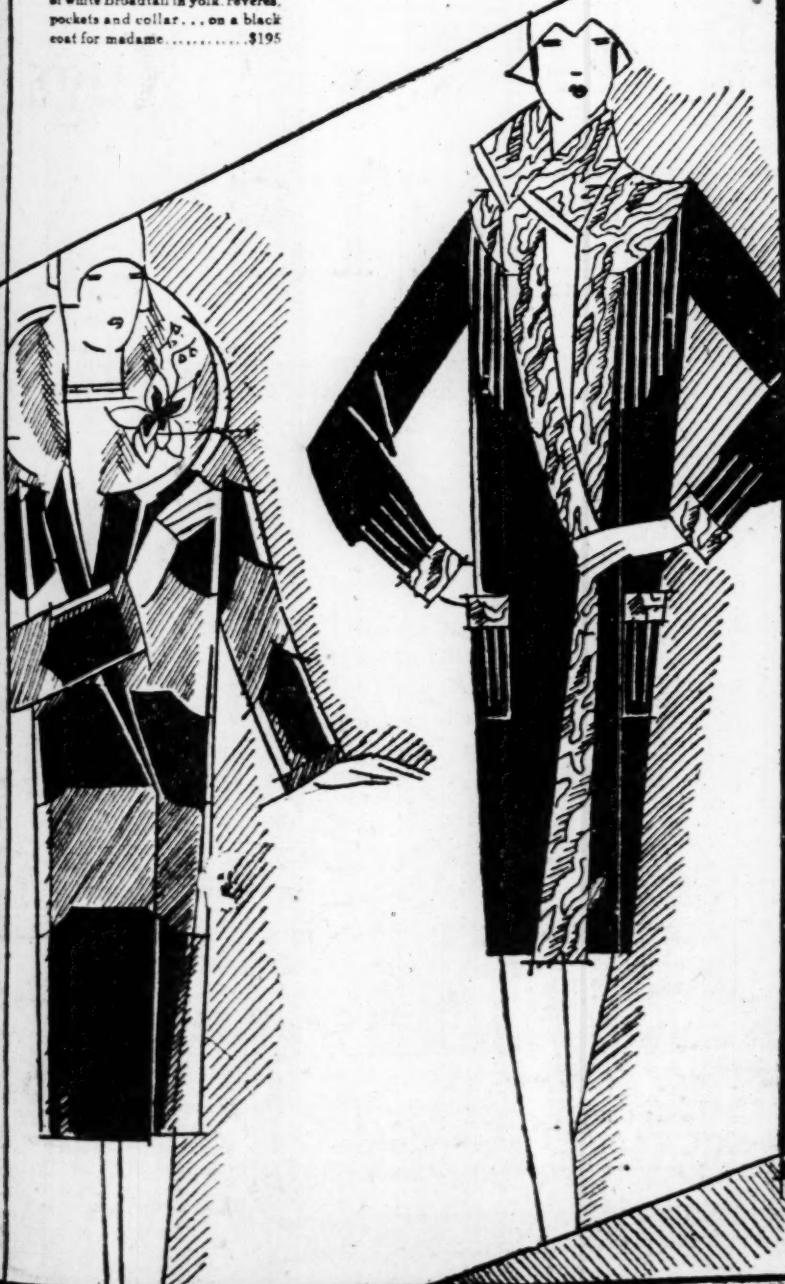


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of white Broadtail in yolk, revers,
pockets and collar.....on a black
coat for madame.....\$195

Here—White Crepe Romane
and black lace; in a woman's gown
of entrancing beauty; The sleeves
and V-yolk are points of interest
.....\$125



Like Magic... The Mode Unfolds to Reveal New Fashion-Harmonies

THE ANNUAL miracle of Spring has happened—here within our very store. The sun
shines, a warm breeze blows... and *vite!* the universe is young again, and one must
be new from head to toe in keeping with the season. Here, a whole new world of fashion
awaits your voyage of discovery... a world gloriously alive with newness, freshness,
and the sophistication that is Paris. Frocks and Coats, Suits and Hats and Shoes, the
Glove, the Bag, the Jewels, that are just right for each costume are here for you to
choose in this one store that is in itself an ensemble of the new, the tasteful, the correct.

Our Apparel and Accessory Shops speak with authority about the
new things presented now, which we have chosen because they ex-
press not only the new ideas but the very spirit of modern fashions.

Coat-Smartness Depends Upon Detail

Every tuck, every seam counts! And in this new sea of detail, our Coat selections chart the smart course.
The silhouette, for women and misses, is invariably straight and slender, with folds, tucks, more folds
and more tucks, creating an entirely different fashion in each Coat. A new philosophy is introduced, too,
in fur trimmings—typified in such smart combinations as white ermine and white fox on black satin,
mole on gray faille, beige broadtail on the new biscuit-beige woollens, and silky black monkey fur on black
Coats. The fabrics—satin, faille silk and soft kashmir woollens—all have that suppleness so flattering
to the figure.....\$49.50 to \$135

The Tailored Suit

—Spring is simply incomplete without it. Our
Suits present the fashionable modes—all that re-
mains is for you to decide upon your type. The
dark blue Suit and the tweed Suit, for women
and misses, begin at \$25. Three-piece ensembles
of striking beauty are shown in silks and woollens,
in The Womens Section, priced up to.....\$195.

Wear the Fox Scarf

—If you would know the ultimate of chic! The
one-skin Scarf has a rival in the new double-an-
imal Scarf; either is smart with frock, suit or
tailored coat. In the natural red tones, silver point-
ed, and all shades of brown, at prices from \$59.75
to \$125. One-skin Scarfs of handsome silver fox
are priced.....\$165 to \$395.

Women's Frocks Have a Fresh Charm

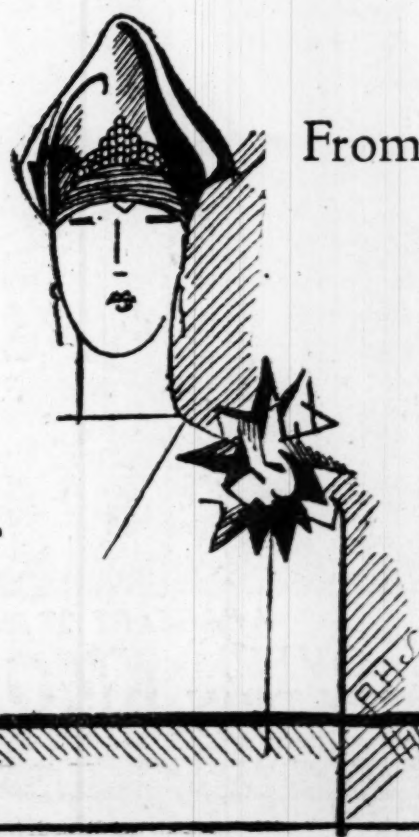
In the Costume Salon... a graceful, rhythmic feeling runs through the mode from morn 'til night, be-
ginning with the choice of soft fabrics and ending in soft bows, girdles, and brief boleros. Soft chiffon,
frocks with long sleeves mark a distinctly new fashion for afternoon and informal dining; one notices a
charming use of lace; yokes, bows, belts and necklines are focal point of interest for daytime. New even-
ing gowns impress one with their smart wearableness—in sheer Georgette, chiffon, and lustrous satin,
with crystal beads like showers of Spring raindrops. Prices here begin at.....\$39.50.

Frocks for Youth

In the Misses Store—A ravishing mode of pleats
and tucks and youthful bows! Long-sleeved chif-
fon frocks of charming simplicity... Georgette
embroidered in colorful posies... three-piece
jacket-frocks... trim tailored crepes... and, for
evening Georgette or Taffeta combined with tulle
for airy grace. Misses' Frocks.....\$25 and up.

Sporting Fashions

Often the sports frock is accompanied by a jacket,
as in the case of a natural-jersey ensemble with
one-piece pleated frock and three-quarter length
coat lined in brilliant green. Sports coats combine
the marvelous beauty of Rodier fabrics and Eng-
lish woollens, with the style of Paris. Steamer coats
and fur-trimmed coats of typical sports chic!



From Paris—the Newest Hats

A Paris label in your Hat... does anything give you
such a feeling of poise and perfect assurance? So new
that they're barely out of their French boxes are these,
our own importation of Paris Hats, shown Wednesday
in the Louis XVI Room. In felt, in black faille and
satin, in lace-work straw, in belting ribbon, they bring
you the Paris mode interpreted according to the ideas
of leading designers... Karpeles... Lucyane...
Noemie Lemoine... Jane Maignan... Marguerite Gisler
...Pinto... Marie-Louise... Walser... Courtier Soeurs.

French Flowers too, from horticultur-
ists of fashion, tell the French idea of
what is smart to wear on hat or shoulder.
MILLINERY SALON—Third Floor

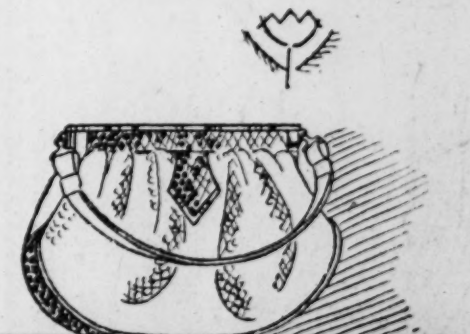


EXQUISITE Fabrics, lovelier than ever
before—colors so subtle they need en-
trancing names to describe them!
There's every inspiration here for a
complete Spring wardrobe.

PRINTED SILKS, of course, but oh, so dis-
creet! Small; geometrical; if flowered, then
precisely so. A recent arrival showing small
flora: sprays on various colored backgrounds
of crepe de chine is decidedly Spring, 1927.
Priced yard.....\$2.98

YO-SAN is a sheer, chiffon-like crepe with
heavier threads flecking it here and there. It is
a sporting material and is equally delightful
for pleated skirts, blouses or one-piece tailored
frocks of sports feeling. A myriad of colors,
yard.....\$2.48

NEW WOOLENS—for sports or street frocks.
Suits and coats can adopt no more fashionable
fabric than Friska—a lightweight woolen that
subtly combines two colors in its intricate
weave. The genuine Friska is 54 inches wide
and priced at, yard.....\$6.95
Second Floor



THE NEW BAGS

DECIDEDLY new are the reptilian
leathers for town wear—the double-
width bottom is so new, it has just put
in its appearance—the compose theme
of blended shades is new with Spring.
All combine to make the Bag shown
here a smart new accessory that the
fashionable arm will disport with
pleasure. Beautifully made of lizard
grain calf and lined with matching
moire, this Bag is priced at \$19.50.
Main Floor



GLOVES

WHAT is it that everybody who wants
to be anybody wears? What is the most
important detail of fashion that is
shown on frocks, on coats and now on
accessories? The answer is bows—flut-
tering bows, crisp bows, tailored bows,
and the newest bow that is worn on the
glove. A perky tailored bow on the cuff
of this French kid Glove marks it born
in the Spring of 1927. Priced at \$4.50.
Main Floor



STEPS TO CHIC

THE first step to chic is color. For it
is a fashionable fact that the Slipper of
this season carries out the color har-
mony of the costume itself. The model
pictured, for instant combines peach
kid with brown piping; patent leather
with parchment kid piping or gray kid
with blue piping. A smart exponent of
the new vogue for color.....\$14.50.

The heel, you will notice, is
quite high and smartly set,
typical also of the Spring
mode for dress wear.
Shoes—Main Floor

ROBS WOMAN OF \$557, TAKES PURSUER'S AUTO

Holdup Man Seizes Money From Bookkeeper Waiting for Street Car to Go to Bank.

When Mrs. Tina Sheahan, bookkeeper for the Langerberg Dry Goods Co., 1230 Biddle street, was held up and robbed of \$557 at High and Carr streets on her way to a bank shortly after noon yesterday, William Rothman of 4033A Lafayette avenue, pursued the fleeing highwayman in an automobile. Before the chase had progressed four blocks the robber turned, drew a revolver and took Rothman's car.

Rothman was driving east in Carr street in a coupe when he saw the man take a package from Mrs. Sheahan, who had been waiting for a street car, and walk hurriedly west. When the man turned north in Thirteenth street, Rothman, who was unarmed, circled north in High street and west in Biddle street in an effort to keep the robber in sight until a policeman could be found. At Fourteenth and Biddle streets he drew close upon the fugitive's heels and the robber leaped on the running board and entered the car with revolver drawn, forcing Rothman to drive west to Blair avenue and north to Cass avenue, where Rothman was ejected after he had been questioned about the car's gear shift.

The automobile was found later in the 2500 block of Hebert street. Rothman described the man as being of medium height, about 25 years old and of dark complexion.

TOTAL VALUATION OF ST. LOUIS PROPERTY \$1,127,906,840

City Assessor's Figures for 1926 Disclose It Has Almost Doubled in 10 Years.

Assessment of real and personal property in St. Louis shows that the valuation has almost doubled in 10 years. The total for 1926, announced by Assessor Gehner yesterday, is \$1,127,906,840, while the figure for 1916, as completed the following year, was \$618,491,050. The volume of increase is largely in real estate valuation, due to the great amount of building and subdivision development following the World War, yet there is an increase of nearly 70 per cent in the personal property assessment.

The change in assessments by years is shown in the following table:

Year	Real	Personal
1916	\$519,677,290	\$98,813,760
1917	555,070,880	104,768,450
1918	617,857,250	111,269,980
1919	633,107,320	121,394,430
1920	761,395,760	150,084,950
1921	764,444,070	154,538,850
1922	782,797,720	154,781,220
1923	820,424,920	181,987,580
1924	859,282,880	168,055,830
1925	909,122,150	165,660,170
1926	962,434,890	165,471,950

Personal property assessment has decreased somewhat in recent years, due largely to exclusion of some items under the law and court decisions.

WOMAN TEACHER ENDS LIFE

Miss Blanche Skinner Was Instructor at Missouri Teachers' College.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., March 8.—Miss Blanche Skinner, president of the Y. W. C. A. Girls' Council and for 15 years an instructor in Southwest Missouri State Teachers' College here, died from drinking poison, Coroner Windle announced.

Miss Skinner was found dead in the bathroom of her home Sunday noon. Windle said he had found a half drained bottle of poison by her side and that her lips were scarred and burned. Miss Skinner had been in ill health for several years and only a few days ago obtained a six month leave of absence from the college.



Sore Throat Banished

Sore, raw, raspy throat condition is a warning signal you should never disregard. Many serious illnesses start that way. And often the consequences are all the more tragic since they can now be avoided with such astonishing speed and safety!

OIL-of-SALT—the amazing new anti-septic and deodorant—is officially credited with some of the most miraculous examples of sore throat relief on record! Its unique healing powers almost surpass belief. Applied to affected part of the throat, it speedily checks infection, soothes the inflamed membrane and hastens recovery in a manner that has astonished doctors, nurses and users in all parts of the country. Cool and comforting—never smarting or irritating. There has never been anything else like it—as you will speedily see for yourself.

OIL-of-SALT is not only an amazing relief for sore throat, but is an invaluable treatment for various other infections and inflammations as well. Wherever applied it kills pain, destroys bacteria and promotes surprisingly quick healing. Get a handy 65c bottle from your druggist today. Use it this evening and see what surprising improvement your sore throat can show just over-night!

OIL-of-SALT
Prepared in the
MOSSO LABORATORIES at Chicago

Motorist Injured at Crossing.
Richard Willerton, 25 years old, of 4140A West Lee avenue, suffered an injury to his back at 6:55



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TIRED EYES!**
Step in ANY DAY for a FREE EXAMINATION

By Our Registered Optometrist
Library of Kidding Bow Frames
fitted with spheres
lenses, toric lenses, Com-
plete. Special...

\$2.95
**Goldman
Jewelry & Optical Co.**
413 North Seventh
Ambassador Theater Building

p. m. yesterday, when his automobile was wrecked by a string of 23 cars being backed over the Humboldt street crossing of the



Wabash Railroad. Police reported there were no gates or a watchman at the crossing. Willerton was taken to city hospital.

**Say
Snider's**

for really good
**catsup
and chili sauce**

Say Snider's—and that added zest will convince you it pays to specify the name.

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Is Not Penalized With High Prices

At **MANNE BROS.**

YOU will be surprised when you visit Manne Bros. new furniture store and see the varied lines of fine Furniture at such reasonable prices.

Visit us tonight and let us show you our eight complete floors of Bedroom, Dining Room and "Hand-Tailored" Living-Room Furniture.

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"Not only absolutely fresh... the finest that can be procured. Our markets sound like an epicure's idea of geography."

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OVER HALF A CENTURY of Building for Tomorrow and a Year Getting Ready for Our 54th Anniversary

Beginning Thursday, March 10

Fifty-Four Swiftly Moving and Momentous Years

have passed since the doors of this house were thrown open to the world. Beginning Thursday, March 10, and continuing for nine (9) days, we will fittingly celebrate that which to us was a most important happening.

Looking Back the Way We Have Traveled

the road even with its steep up-grades and places rough and smooth, seems very short indeed to have brought us so far towards our goal, and to have established this House of Business so firmly in the confidence of the public.

It Is a Happy Augury That Our 54th Celebration

should synchronize with great developments in this business, and with a knowledge of the splendid opportunities before us, what things the past 54 years have accomplished by favor of the public are relatively of small account compared to the possibilities the future holds in store.

Thanks to Our Unfailing Friends and Customers

—to their generous appreciation of our efforts to serve them well, and to their oft-repeated kindly expressions of good-will towards this House and all its ways, we pass the fifty-fourth milestone of our history Thursday exultantly in good heart and courage. With grateful memory of the past we face the future years with every confidence, believing always that the true measure of success in business is not found in prosperous balance sheets alone, but in the ever-increasing number of its friends.

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"The Store for All the People"



A PAGEANT OF MUSIC OVER A PERIOD OF 54 YEARS

OVER
STATION **KMOX**

Wednesday, March 9th, promptly at 8:30 P. M., in celebration of this 54th Anniversary, Nugents broadcast a program covering a period of 54 years of business and featuring Clay Ballou, concert pianist, Max Seindel's String Quartette and the famous Red and Gold Melody Boys. Remember, KMOX is the station, the time is 8:30 and the sponsor, Nugents.



Women's Gown

Regular \$1 Value

They are of washable chambray with pretty flare and turn-down collar. Wanted new light shades.



\$1.75

36-IN. PRINTED FOUL—Neat dress designs in shades

40-IN. CREPE DE CH—colors or ivory; 40-in.

40-IN. GEORGETTE C—light Spring shades or

In New Style

DR.



A Fortunate Purchase of A
750 GALLON CANS
MADISON PAINT



Made by the Can Co. The following are the colors: White, Ivory, Cream, Yellow, Sky Blue, Brown, Burgundy, Gray, Stone Gray, Medium Gray, Sea Green, Permanent Green, This quality paint should be used regularly. Price \$2.75 a gallon, but is priced special in this event at \$1.75 a gallon. (Nugents—Fourth Floor)

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Penalized With High Prices
MANNE BROS.
You will be surprised when you visit the Bros. new furniture store and see the wide lines of fine Furniture at reasonable prices.
Tonight and let us show you our complete floors of Bedroom, Dining, "Hand-Tailored" Living-Room Furniture.
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Women's Gauntlet Gloves
Regular \$1 Value
They are of washable chamois-suede fabric with pretty flare and turndown cuffs, in the wanted new light shades.
79c
(Nugents—Main Floor, North.)



Wednesday Specials
NEW SPRING SILKS

Lend their subtle grace to new frocks and are inexpensively priced for economical shoppers.

\$3.50 and \$3.98 Qualities
Special Wednesday
\$2.98 Yard

\$2.98 and \$3.75 Qualities
Special Wednesday
\$2.49 Yard

\$2.25 to \$2.50 Qualities
Special Wednesday
\$1.98 Yard

\$1.75 to \$1.98 Qualities
Special Wednesday
\$1.49 Yard

40-IN. NEW SUEDE CREPE—Heavy weight, in choice of the modish dress shades.
40-IN. PRINTED CREPE DE CHINES AND RADIUMS—New plaid and modernistic designs.
40-IN. CREPE ALEXANDER AND CREPE ROMA—New Spring colors and black.

40-IN. PRINTED GEORGETTES—In new Spring colors and designs.
40-IN. FLAT CREPE—Spring's latest street, afternoon and evening shades.
40-IN. HEAVY GEORGETTES—Light Spring colors or black.

40-IN. FLAT CREPE—In new Spring shades or black.
40-IN. NEW PRINTED CREPE DE CHINES—Neat and artistic color combinations.
36-IN. STRIPE AND CHECK CHIFFON TAFETAS—In new Spring colors.

36-IN. PRINTED FOULARDS AND RADIUMS—Neat dress designs in the very newest Spring shades.
40-IN. CREPE DE CHINES—Light and dark colors or ivory; 40-in., yard.
40-IN. GEORGETTE CREPE—Most desirable light Spring shades or black, yard.

(Nugents—Main Floor, South.)

In New Styles Silk Crepe and Georgette

DRESSES

Smartness Is Accentuated by Charming, Yet Important Trifles of the Spring Mode

\$16.75

TO ADD vivacity to the Spring wardrobe, these Dresses are truly indispensable. They are in styles for all occasion, street, afternoon, sports, formal or informal wear, offering infinite choice in Frocks that feature the most voguish tendencies of the new season. One piece, two piece, bolero, tucked, compose, bloused and straightline silhouettes.

THE FABRICS
Georgettes
Crepe Satins
Combinations
Canton Crepes
Flat Crepes

NEW STYLES
Of soft silks or Georgettes, these are the styles women are preferring this Spring in individual garments for street, sports, travel, formal, informal or all-occasion wear.

THE COLORS
New Tans
Grays
Blues
Yellows
Rose Greens
Tawny Hues
Navy
Black

Misses' Sizes 14 to 18
Women's Sizes 36 to 44
Extra Sizes 46 to 50
(Nugents—Second Floor, North.)

A Fortunate Purchase of Almost 750 GALLON CANS OF **MADISON PAINTS**

Made by the Campbell Paint Co. The following wanted colors: White, Ivory, Cream, Colonial Yellow, Sky Blue, Medium Brown, Bungalow Brown, French Gray, Stone Gray, Light Gray, Medium Gray, Sage Green, Permanent Green. This quality paint should sell regularly at \$2.75 a gallon, but is priced special in this event at **\$1.85** A Gallon
(Nugents—Fourth Floor, South.)

\$1.85 MIRRO CAKE SETS

\$1.29

Each Set consists of an extra-large angel food pan—10 1/2 x 4 1/2 inch size, and an eight-piece cake decorator. An inexpensive Set that makes possible a festive birthday, bridge, luncheon, or a dinner occasion.
(Nugents—Fourth Floor, South.)

NUGENTS

THE STORE FOR ALL THE PEOPLE

Men's \$5 Trousers
These are men's and young men's worsted Trousers—with neat stripes in brown, tan and blues. Medium and dark colors.
Sizes 30 to 40.
(Nugents—Third Floor, North.) **\$3.25**

Wednesday—Your Opportunity to Select Next Season's Winter Coat
CHOICE-OF-THE-HOUSE SALE



Big Savings—Women's and Misses' WINTER COATS

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(Nugents—Fourth Floor, South.)

SIX MEN TAKEN IN RAIDS CONFESS COUNTERFEIT PLOT

Federal Agents Trying to Find Others in Band That Floated \$500,000 in Bleached Bills, 'Raised'

By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, March 8.—Secret Service men in San Francisco, New York, Detroit and several other cities today were working to round up members of a band which floated \$500,000 in spurious \$20 bills.

Confessions were obtained here from six men held after a series of raids. The printing plant also is sought. It is believed to be in St. Louis or Detroit.

The counterfeit money had been passed in a number of American cities, including St. Louis, New Orleans, Boston, Pittsburgh and Cleveland, and also in Budapest, Hungary, where two Austrians were arrested and given long terms two months ago. State Department officials there obtained the leads which resulted in the Chicago raids.

Three Secret Service men, warned that death would be their portion if they betrayed the band, posed as Texas gamblers and bought counterfeit money from the "circulation department" of the gang. Information they obtained resulted in nine raids yesterday.

Tony Carona, described as the head of the "circulation department," and his alleged chief aide, Samuel Romano, were arrested. Twenty men were taken to the Federal building, but officers said only six were held after questioning.

A member of the band Saturday told one of the Secret Service men, who ostensibly was one of the organization, that the gang planned assassination of one member who, they believed, had reported them to the Government.

The bogus bills all bear the serial number "B 311" over the signature of Frank White, Treasurer of the United States. They are imitation gold certificates bearing Washington's portrait, and are engraved upon bleached one-dollar bills.

Arrests Have No Connection With St. Louis \$200,000 Plot.
The arrests in Chicago have no connection with the \$200,000 counterfeit ring, disclosed in St. Louis last January with the seizure of the plays and arrests of six men. The St. Louis counterfeiters purported to be \$20 Federal Reserve notes; the others purport to be \$20 gold certificates.

Connected with the Chicago case, however, are the arrests of Charles H. Harris in Detroit and Frank McCarty in St. Louis last January, and the arrests last week at West Frankfort, Ill., of Riley Simmons, Thomas Elliott, Blanche Teeco and Pearl Wilson, all charged with passing the spurious \$20 gold notes. Secret Service agents have information that the Shelton and Birger gangs in Southern Illinois received some of the counterfeit gold notes and have been passing them, mostly in deals with bootleggers. Complaints from Detroit liquor sellers who had received counterfeit bills in exchange for liquor led to the investigation, as has been told. Much of the liquor was transported to the St. Louis district. Local gangsters and gunmen have been passing the counterfeit bills here.



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Supreme Court Holds Prac-
tice Creates Pecuniary
Interest in Finding De-
fendant Guilty.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, March 8.—In an unanimous decision, the United States Supreme Court has held that judicial officers are disqualified from sitting in cases in which they are interested financially, or otherwise.

The opinion, delivered yesterday by Chief Justice Taft is a case from Ohio in which Ed Tumey had been convicted by the Mayor of the village of North College Hill on a charge of violating the prohibition law, holds that the Ohio statutes aimed to enforce the prohibition law and the village ordinance under which the Mayor was allowed fees on conviction were an encroachment on the due process of law provision of the fourteenth amendment to the Federal Constitution. The court held that the Mayor, sitting as Judge, had a pecuniary interest in the result of the trial and that thus interested, disqualified him.

The Ohio statutes and the village ordinance were condemned as meaning that there was "no way by which the Mayor may be paid for his services as Judge, if he does not convict those who are brought before him."

Legislatures may stimulate prosecutions by offering rewards, the court held, but they have to vest the judicial power in one who by reason of his interest, both as an individual and as chief executive of the village, is disqualified to exercise it in the trial of the defendant. Officers acting in a judicial or quasi-judicial capacity are disqualified as a general rule, it was declared, by their interest in the controversy to be decided.

There was no reason anyway for the Mayor to sit in the Tumey case, it was added, because other judicial officers, who had no disqualification, were available. The Mayor was found to have a "direct personal pecuniary interest in convicting the defendant," because, the court explained, he could not have received the costs had he acquitted him.

Referring to the contention that in Ohio, and other states, justices of the peace and judges of inferior courts derive their only compensation from fees and costs, and to the similar English practice, Chief Justice Taft said that the penalties and costs in such cases were inconsequential, while in prohibition cases in Ohio they were not negligible, but substantial.

Asserting that it was not a mere village tribunal for village peccadilloes, the Court declared that due process of law in judicial procedure is not satisfied by the argument that men of the highest honor and the greatest self-sacrifice could carry it on without danger of injustice.

The Court also criticized the statutes because the trial before the Mayor was without a jury and with no opportunity for a reviewing court to set aside the judgment unless it should manifestly indicate mistake, bias or willful disregard of duty by the trial court.

When an official occupies two inconsistent positions, one partisan and the other judicial, there necessarily is a lack of due process of law, the Court asserted.

It is the practice in Arkansas, Kentucky, Nebraska, North Carolina, Georgia and Texas, as well as in Ohio, to allow inferior judges no compensation except from fees collected from convicted defendants, the Court pointed out, while in other States the minor courts are paid for their services by the State or county, regardless of acquittal or conviction.

The Supreme Court, said however, that there was nothing sinister or constitutionally invalid in giving a village Mayor the jurisdiction.



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CREAM CHEESE, lb.	25	CHUCK STEAKS, lb.	15	LIMA BEANS, 2 lbs.	15
BRICK CHEESE, lb.	25	ELCO SALMON, Fancy Red King, Tail 35c can	25	SWEET POTATOES, 4 lbs.	10
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JOINT COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE BIG TAX REFUNDS

Body Includes Ranking Members of Fiscal Committees of House and Senate.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, March 8.—Investigation of all tax refunds of more than \$75,000, hereafter allowed by the Treasury, will be undertaken by the Joint Congressional Tax Committee.

Congress stipulated in its last appropriation of \$75,000,000 for tax refunds that the Treasury submit to the committee the facts on all refunds in excess of \$75,000. At the suggestion of the Bureau of Internal Revenue, however, the committee has decided to investigate each of these refunds.

L. H. Parker, chief of the committee's division of investigations, has been instructed by Chairman Green to undertake the investigation. The joint committee, created under the 1926 revenue act and including the ranking members of the House and Senate committees in charge of tax legislation, also has authorized its experts to make further tax studies.

Chairman Green made public today a report by Parker recommending tightening up of the law relating to the penalization of corporations created for the purpose of evading the surtax payments.

The report, which has not been acted upon by the joint committee, declared that under the revenue act of 1913 and 1921, the section providing a tax of 50 per cent on all profits allowed to accumulate in such corporations "has not been enforced to the extent intended by the Congress," but that under the act of 1924 and 1926 "there seems to be some possibility of its being enforced in a restricted manner."

"It is not evident," the report added, "that the bureau intends to assess the additional tax in the case of large operating corporations which are able to invest their enormous earnings in their own business or related industries."

"It is possible to replace section 22 by other provisions which will effect the result desired more automatically. We believe that such a change should be given serious consideration."

PIGGY WIGGLY
"THANK U"
35,000 PEOPLE
ATTENDED PIGGY WIGGLY FOOD SHOW AND HOUSE-WARMING

This mass of people, in a spirit of friendliness, came in response to an invitation extended by Piggly Wiggly to attend the Housewarming and Food Show in their new half-million-dollar warehouse at Spring and Chouteau Aves. last week.

They were conducted through the spacious warehouse that supplies their 107 St. Louis service stores—shown through the new sanitary Sunlight Bakery where the new wholesome Sunlight Bread is made, and as each housewife passed through the bakery she was presented with a freshly baked loaf of this good bread.

To thank you for your friendly spirit and the hearty support that has made our exceptional progress possible, we are conducting at all 107 St. Louis-owned stores this week (including those in greater St. Louis, St. Charles, Belleville, Granite City and East St. Louis) a "Thank U" Sale.

HERE ARE SOME MORE "MONEY SAVERS" TO HELP YOU INCREASE YOUR BANK ACCOUNT.

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LIBBY OR DEL MONTE **PEACHES** LARGE CANS, 8 OR 9 LARGE, LUSCIOUS HALVES IN HEAVY SUGAR SYRUP **2 LGE. CANS. 45c**

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Expert corset service to enhance the beauty of your dress—style starts with your figure.

Sixth and Locust Streets, St. Louis

Values So Unusual That Wednesday Will Be the Greatest Day in the History of Our Second Floor Fashion Floor!

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FOR STOUT WOMEN (Tall, Short or Medium) **REGULAR SIZE WOMEN (36 to 46 Size)** **For Small Women and Misses (The New 1/2 Size)**

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Lane Bryant, Sixth and Locust Streets, St. Louis

STUDENT ACCUSED AS BURGLAR WILL NOT RETURN TO STUDIES

H. E. Threlkeld Says Ill Health Has Caused Him to Abandon Work at Washington U.

Henry Edward Threlkeld, 23-year-old Washington University senior, who is charged with first degree burglary, has decided to abandon hope of returning to his studies in the School of Commerce and Finance this semester, it was learned today.

When released on bond Sunday, he said he would seek reinstatement with a view of graduation in June, but he has since changed his mind. Ill health which has caused him to lose 20 pounds in two months is given as the reason for his decision.

Threlkeld was arrested last Friday morning in the basement of a South Side home. He pleaded lapse of memory, maintaining he did not know what had happened.

PROCLAMATION FOR SYMPHONY MUSIC FESTIVAL ISSUED

By a proclamation of Mayor Miller today the period from March 14 to April 2 has been designated as Schools-Symphony Music Festival Weeks, to call attention to a series of concerts to be given in the high school auditoriums in that time.

The proclamation says: "In this co-operation the greatest educational force in St. Louis—the schools—together with the greatest cultural force—the Symphony Orchestra—are undertaking a task new to American musical history in this taking the orchestra to the people of this city."

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Healthy, active and safe, and your blood pure. Modern living, however, has reduced your Acidophilus supply. Putrefactive germs—the creators of poison and gas in waste matter—have become the rulers. Conquer them by restoring your Acidophilus forces to normal. Then the ills of intestinal poisoning no longer can drag you down.

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In each "Moyer's Tablet" about 12,500 millions of natural, vigorous *B. Acidophilus* are "put to sleep." (This is the number usually present in a glass of Acidophilus Milk.) In the warm damp of your intestines, these organisms "awaken," there to rapidly thrive, fight and check intestinal poisoning by Nature's new safe drugless method.

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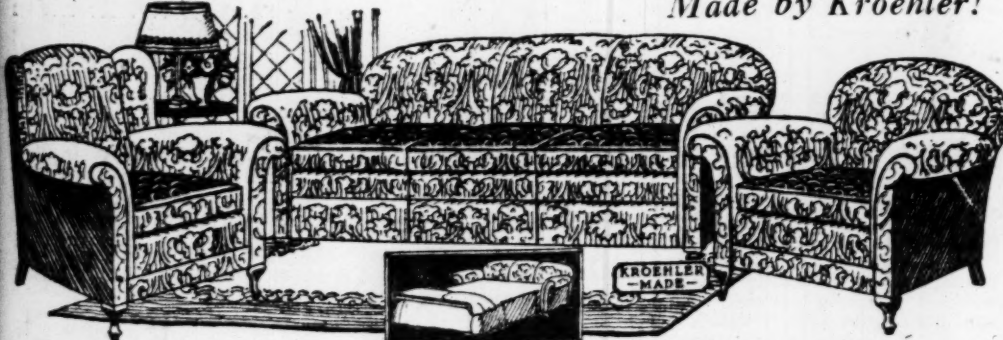
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REMEMBER—SECOND DOOR FROM CORNER

KILLED DAUGHTER TO SAVE FAMILY'S NAME

Parent of Unwed Mother Says
Husband Would Have Taken
Erring Girl's Life.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch. NEW YORK, March 8.—Convinced she could "never walk the streets for shame," Mrs. Christine Stoble, 39 years old, mother of 10 children, shot and killed her unmarried daughter, Rosa, 16, a few minutes after the latter had become the mother of a boy in the basement of their frame house at Red Bank, N. J.

Prosecutor John J. Quinn of Monmouth County said Mrs. Stoble, in a confession to which she affixed her mark, gave her "shame" as the only motive for the killing. But to the police who reached the house a few minutes after the shooting and after her son, Joseph, 18, had snatched the revolver from his mother's hand and buried it in the rear yard, Mrs. Stoble declared she had killed her daughter "to save my husband the trouble."

"I knew my husband kill her if he find out," police quoted her as saying, "so I kill her."

The husband, Michael, a gardener at the Red Bank summer home of George V. Coe, broker, with offices at 67 Wall street, refused to discuss the tragedy. Occasionally, however, he spoke bitterly of his wife, nor would he visit her in the Monmouth County jail at Freehold, where she is held on a charge of murder. Police found the baby dead in a pile of discarded clothing in the basement.

Detectives started a search for a Red Bank man, identified only as "Michael" with whom Rosa was known to have been friendly and about whom her mother, in her confession, said she had spoken to her daughter many times. Quinn also sent to Staten Island for the birth record of the girl who was born in Stapleton, to determine her exact age. He explained that if Rosa was under 16, the father of her child could be held.

A month ago Mrs. Stoble suspected her daughter was about to become a mother. She questioned her but each time, Quinn said, the girl denied it, and told her mother to mind her own business. Supporting her statement that she feared her husband would kill Rosa, the mother said, she hid his revolver.

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BASEMENT ECONOMY STORE NEWS

An Extraordinary Event Begins Wednesday—This Very Timely and Important Offering of

1,500 Spring Dresses

Attractive, Chic Models in Women's, Misses' and Extra Sizes—Offered in a Most Interesting Variety of Styles—Every One an Excess Value at \$6.90



The Basement Apparel Section is going to be an unusually busy center Wednesday when hundreds will be making Spring selections, most advantageously, from this remarkably varied group. There are scores of different styles—in fact Dresses that are suitable for almost any Spring time occasion and when you see them you'll realize that they're not ordinary \$6.90 Dresses. The styles, the trimmings, the materials, the colors and the workmanship, emphasize their worth.

Developed of Georgette, flat crepe, Georgette overprints and crepe satin—all highly favored for the new season.

Shown in Athenia, rose beige, queen blue, tan, monkey skin, Mother Goose, green and the always-wanted navy and black.

Women's Sizes 36 to 44, Misses', 14 to 20 and Extra Sizes 46 to 50.

Be Among the First to Share When the Selling Starts Promptly at 9 Wednesday

Extraordinary Values, at

\$6.90

Basement Economy Store

Wednesday, This Special Offering of Spring Union Suits

For Men, Women and Children—
Desirable Weight Garments, at

55c



Here's a splendid opportunity for the family to save on Spring Underwear needs. For men there are pin check nainsook or balbriggan Suits—for women, fine-ribbed cotton Union Suits—and for children, ribbed cotton or nainsook Union Suits.

All are made in sleeveless, knee-length style in the usual sizes.
Basement Economy Store

Quite a Saving on These Well-Known Pepperell Sheets

Stained \$1.05 Grade, Each 78c

Full bleached, 54x90-inch Sheets that are subject to slight stains. They're seamless and ideal for cot or single beds. Limit of 6 to a buyer.

Pajama Checks
Bleached Pajama Checks, 36 inches wide. For underwear, etc. Special, 12½c yard

Radioux Chiffon
2 to 6 yard lengths of rayon-and-cotton fabric, in checks, plaids and mixed effects. 59c Special, yard

New Percales
36 inches wide—dainty figures on light and tinted grounds. Tub-fast; special, 15c yard

Bed Sheets
Bleached 81x90-inch seamless Sheets of "Famous-Barr Co. Special" brand. Stained \$1 each
Basement Economy Store

Wednesday—A Remarkable Special Purchase of New Wash Dresses

Considerably Below Their Worth, at

\$1.59

In Regular and Extra Sizes

Those who come when the store opens Wednesday will have choice of 3500 Dresses at this special price. The very newest styles, made of printed broadcloths and woven Zephyr cottons—so well made, in styles suitable for street wear, that many will choose them by the half dozen! It's wise to anticipate future needs when you can buy so economically.



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Tubproof Colors

All the best Spring and Summer shades—and many pretty patterns. Among the pleated, tiered, flared and straight models are several slenderizing styles.

Sizes 16 Years to 52

Basement Economy Store

A Perfect Manicure
With Hand Massage, Priced 50c
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 Main Floor Balcony

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Every Favored Coat Mode

For Women and Misses—Splendid Values at
\$49.75 \$89.50 \$115

Wide assortments that enable each woman and miss to fit the mode to her particular individuality—explain the popularity of these Coat groups. Model after model in the season's lovely dress Coats of tucks, pleated, braided and fur-trimmed twills, kasha, jorella, and charmeen. Just as many in the dashing sports styles—of colorful, unusual woolens.

Black Coats a-plenty. Pony, Monkey, Ombre Lapin, Lynx and other Spring furs used with telling effect.

Women's sizes 34 to 44—
 Misses' 14 to 18 years.
 Fourth Floor



Special Values for

Baby Day

Wednesday—In the Infants' Wear Section

St. Louis mothers are well aware of the advantages of shopping here on "Baby Day"—and of particular importance and interest are the specially priced groups which mean additional savings Wednesday.

Infants' Silk Dresses
 \$4.95 Value... **\$3.95**
 Adorable light blue, pink or white silk crepe de chine Dresses in Spring and Summer styles—all with wide hems. Sizes 1 to 3 years.

Gertrudes
 \$1.50 Value... **95c**
 Handmade—of soft white batiste, with fancy laced hems and touches of hand embroidery. 1 to 3 year sizes. Dainty styles—practical, too.

Dozen Diapers
 Red Star brand Diapers—hemmed and ready to use; 27x27-inch size; in sealed packages of a dozen; special... **\$1.69**

Infants' Vanta Shirts
 Double-breasted Shirts with tape ties; made of mercerized worsted and cotton, finished with silk crocheted edges; sizes to 2 years; special, Wednesday... **95c**

Bonnets
 Special... **\$1.95**
 Silk crepe Bonnets with shirring, ruffles, flat bows or lace edges. White and several light shades—for little 1 to 3 year girls.

Dresses, Slips
 Nainsook Dresses with shirring or tucks and narrow lace edging. Also gertrude Slips. Sizes to 2 years; special, Wednesday... **49c**

Wednesday, A Nurse to Demonstrate

The Benefits and Use of "Kantslip" Garments
 Hear an experienced graduate nurse explain how "Kantslip" fitted, adjustable Bands benefit "baby's" health—and are so easy to use. She will also demonstrate other Kantslip garments—and answer mothers' questions. Have her weigh your baby accurately.

Kantslip Bands... 50c
Kantslip Mittens... 19c
Kantslip Ear Conformers... 50c
 Infants' Wear Section—Third Floor

An Unusually Large Selection of the Newest Styles in

Men's Fancy Pajamas

Making It Advisable to Supply Needs Wednesday



Special... **\$1.45**
 Priced at...

Not only the season's newest styles, in fancy novelty styles, featuring many colors in stripes and checks with collar attached, also low neck style—with fancy band trimming, and colored frogs to match or harmonize, but priced below the usual value.

Also broadcloth in plain solid colors, including blue, tan, and white, and merinos, in solid colors. Sizes A, B, C, D.
 Men's Furnishing Section—Main Floor

Stamped Card Table Covers
 Special Wednesday at \$1.00

The bridge hostess will like these Covers of oyster white linen, neatly bound in black or blue stitching and stamped with bright little card symbols and lazy daisy flowers.
 Art Needlework Section—Third Floor

Special! 1200

Rayon Knit Garments

Unusual Values—
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Heavy quality Rayon in every one of these garments—and the dainty colors women and misses like to wear—pink, peach, orchid, Nile and others. Lace trimmed and tailored—here are the kinds from which you'll want to choose many:

"Teddies" in Various Styles

Attractive Gowns

Full-Sized Bloomers

Step-In Panties

Knit Underwear Section—Third Floor

NOTIONS

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Kotex Sanitary Napkins



The popular deodorized soluble Napkin. Easy to dispose of. Box of 12, Wednesday at... **34c**
 Limit of three boxes.

J. P. Coats Thread

250-yard spools, white or black; sizes 40 to 80; 8 spools... **50c**
 best 6 cord. Regularly 72c; Wednesday...
 Limit of 8 spools.

Sanitary Aprons

Puritan silk, of the best quality silk rubberized; flesh color; net top and silk ribbon ties... **57c**

Barton's Dyanshine

The double service shoe polish. Black, brown, cordovan and light tan. Limit of 2 bottles, each... **30c**

Kleinert \$1.00 Slipover Garment Shields... 75c
J. & P. Coats Mercerized Thread, No. 80, all shades, 100 yards per dozen... 75c
O. N. T. Mercerized Crochet Cotton... 75c
75c Cotton Sateen Garment Bags... 75c
75c Cretonne Shoe Bags, 6 pockets... 75c
Baby Pants—all-rubber; ventilated sides, non-binding... 75c
Southall English Sanitary Napkins, cotton and fiber filled... 75c

Rubberized Aprons

Of good quality cretonne in fancy design, with pocket, special... **58c**

Fancy Ribbon Garters

Newest importations, in wide assortment of colors and trims... **69c**

Sanitary Step-Ins

I. B. Kleinert's, of pink voile, lace trimmed. All-rubber insert. Various colors... **89c**

Rubber Tea Aprons

Fancy; with ruffled edge and pocket. In contrasting colors. Special... **43c**

Notion Department—Main Floor

Handy Stepladders

At Special Prices

Rex brand household Ladders, made of selected lumber, well made, nicely finished and fitted with bucket rest, metal spreader, and full rollers under each step.

4-foot size... **\$1.95**
 5-foot size... **\$2.40**
 6-foot size... **\$2.90**
 7-foot size... **\$3.65**

Window Ventilators

Special... **50c**
 8 inches high, extend to 39 inches long; well made, metal frame, fitted with stormproof canvas center. Only 200 in lot.

Window Ventilators

Special... **29c**
 With wood frame, 9 inches high; extends to 23 inches. Fitted with stormproof canvas center. While 200 in lot.

Window Ventilators

With wood frames, same as above, 9 inches high, extending to 29 inches. A special value... **53c**

Window Ventilators

With wood frames, same as above, 9 inches high, extending to 29 inches. Specially priced at... **60c**



A Big Event for Wednesday Shoppers Offers

Cotton Lingerie

—In Daintiest, Prettiest New Styles,
 All Decidedly Underpriced at

\$1.00

You'll realize instantly that a dollar is a very low price for these daintily trimmed, well-made Undergarments! And you have no idea how well you may choose—from this profusion of plain, novelty and lace-trimmed styles. White ones, and light colors—in all regular sizes. Be prepared to fill Spring and Summer needs!



Nightgowns

—of voile, batiste, crepe and nainsook—neatly tailored or trimmed with good quality laces.

Chemises

—of voile, batiste and nainsook. Many in decidedly new styles, plain or lace.

Bloomers

—the much-wanted plain-tailored kinds—of excellent quality soft cotton crepe.

Step-Ins

Frilly affairs, some of them. Others plain—others lace trimmed.

Nainsook and "Non-Cling" cotton Slips—tailored or trimmed; shadowproof.

Lingerie Section—Third Floor

A Special Section Devoted to Fashionable

Matrons' Spring Hats

For All Occasions—Priced

\$7.50 to \$22.50



We take particular care in the selection of Hats for matrons, knowing how important it is for Hats of this type to be exactly right! There are scores of charming new ones that adopt the smart features of the new mode, but avoid its "extremes."

Street and tailored types trimmed with draped ribbon and chic rhinestone ornaments. Dressy Hats, colorful with exquisite flowers, or made of lace and hairbraids. Black, Copen, purple, beige, navy, gray and almond. All head sizes.

Millinery Section—Fourth Floor

To Make Spring Apparel, You'll Surely Need These

Two Silk Favorites

—Specially Priced Wednesday—in Smartest New Shades

Georgette Crepe

Most Unusual, \$1.93
 Yard... **1.00**

Lovely colors for Spring frocks, pastel hues for lingerie—and darker street dress shades. All silk—a quality certain to give satisfaction.

Flat Crepe

Special, \$2.48
 Yard... **2.00**

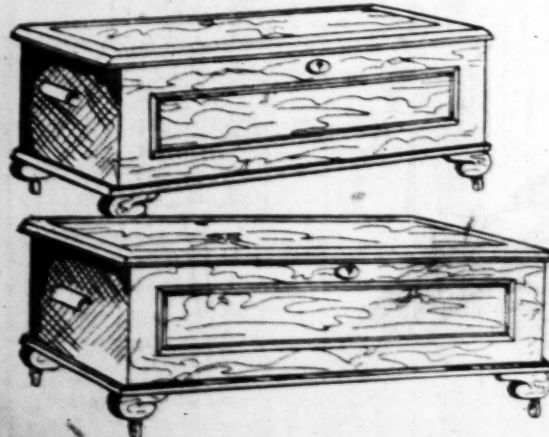
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Sale of Cedar Chests

Beautiful Styles in Four Remarkable Groups—

\$8.75 \$9.95 \$12.50 \$14.25



Chests from a well-known cabinet-making company—the woods, workmanship and finish show how far below their real value are these special prices! Share them!

Genuine Tennessee red mountain cedar—the choicest quality for Chest making—is used in all of these. All are thoroughly kiln dried to prevent warping, and have strong locks, keys and casters. For the "hope Chest"—or, the practical moth-proof storage Chest that every home needs, this is an exceptional choice.

38-Inch Red Cedar Chests, \$8.75
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 45-Inch Red Cedar Chests, \$12.50
 48-Inch Red Cedar Chests, \$14.25
 Fifth Floor

Editorial Page
 Daily Cartoon

PART TWO.

MOVE TO RESTORE POLITICS IN STATE HOSPITAL CONTROL

Salary Grab Bill in House Proposes to Abolish Office of Health Supervisor and Make Other Changes

BAKER APPOINTEE BACKING MEASURE

Would Mean Abandonment of Scientific Care of Thousands of Patients in Six Institutions.

By CURTIS A. BETTS.
 A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, March 8.—Abandonment of scientific supervision of the care of the thousands of insane, epileptic and tubercular patients in the six State eleemosynary institutions in Missouri is threatened in a salary grab bill now in the Legislature, a part of a scheme for complete politicalization of the Department of Eleemosynary Institutions which had its inception at the beginning of the present State administration. The measure, which has the support of W. P. Fulkerson of St. Joseph, president of the Board of Managers, who would get a \$1000 increase in salary out of it, proposes to abolish the office of Health Supervisor, who under the present law is required to be "well known and skilled in the sciences of psychiatry" and leave the physicians in each institution, some if not most of whom owe their jobs to political influence, without any checking up by higher scientific authority.

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PART TWO.

MOVE TO RESTORE POLITICS IN STATE HOSPITAL CONTROL

Salary Grab Bill in House
Proposes to Abolish Of-
fice of Health Supervisor
and Make Other Changes

BAKER APPOINTEE
BACKING MEASURE

Would Mean Abandonment
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By CURTIS A. BETTS.
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According to information here, the reason back of the move is that some of the physicians objected to interference by a higher authority and desired to use their own methods without supervision or check.

Would Remove Dr. Johns.

His passage would remove Dr. George A. Johns, who prior to his appointment as Health Supervisor was superintendent of the City Hospital in St. Louis, and who was a nationally known authority on the treatment of the insane.

\$564,900 ADDED BY HOUSE TO OVER-APPROPRIATIONS

Estimated Available Revenue of
State for 1927-28 Now Exceeded
by \$2,000,000.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
JEFFERSON CITY, March 8.—Despite repeated warnings that the estimated revenues of the State for 1927 and 1928 will not take care of all of the appropriations desired by State departments, the House last night continued to pile up the over-appropriations by adding \$564,900 to the general contingent appropriation bill.

Appropriations carried by this bill were increased to \$6,631,997 before the bill was ordered engrossed, following defeat of numerous amendments offered by Representative D. L. Bates of Shannon County, Democratic minority floor leader and designed to reduce some of the items. Some Democrats joined with the Republicans in voting down the proposed reductions.

With several appropriation bills yet to be engrossed by the House the bills now exceed the estimated available revenue by more than \$2,000,000.

Representative F. B. Meyers of Gasconade County, chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, opposed a number of the increases on the ground the recommendations by the committee on drafting the original bill were up to the limit of the estimated revenues and no revenue was in sight for the increases.

CITIZENS' ARMY TRAINING

Camp at Jefferson Barracks to
Open July 7.

The Citizens' Army Training Camp at Jefferson Barracks will extend this year from July 7 to Aug. 5, Gen. B. F. Poore of Omaha, commanding the Seventh Corps area, announced today. All candidates who meet the requirements will be sent to the camp from their home at Government expense.

The camps at Port Snelling, Minn., Fort Des Moines, Ia., Fort Leavenworth, Kan., Fort Crook, Neb., will open Aug. 1 and close Aug. 30.

WRANGLER'S BROTHER ENDS LIFE

Shoots Himself to Death in Paris

By the Associated Press.

ROME, March 8.—Baron Nicholas Wrangel, at one time a General in the Russian Imperial Guard, and a brother of Gen. Baron Peter Wrangel, leader of the White Russian forces against the Bolsheviks, shot himself to death today. He was 57 years old.

He had lived here for three years in the apartment of Prince Alexander Wolkonsky, having separated from his wife and two children, who live in Berlin. He had been ill.

\$4000 a year, and there would be created a salaried secretaryship, which would go to a board member of political allegiance different from that of the president. Fulkerson is a Republican and the secretaryship at \$1800 a year probably would go to Mark A. McGruder of Sedalia, a Democratic member of the board.

Pay For Secretary Proposed.

McGruder now is secretary but receives no salary and has no duties except the keeping of the minutes of the meetings of the board. As an excuse for a salary for him, the proposed law provides that he shall visit the institutions in the direction of the president and shall perform such services in the administration of the affairs of the institutions as the board shall direct. McGruder is an attorney and has no qualifications which would fit him as an adviser on any question of medical practice.

Other salaries it is proposed to increase are those of the superintendents of the Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Mount Vernon and of the School for Epileptics at Marshfield, each from \$2000 to \$3500 a year. The present salary of \$2500 for the superintendent at each of the four hospitals for the insane remains unchanged. In addition to salary, however, each superintendent and assistant physician receives virtually all living expenses, except clothing, of himself and family.

The five assistant physicians, at \$1500 each, at the Fulton Hospital, it is proposed to replace with three, one at \$2500, one at \$2250 and one at \$2000. The six assistant physicians, at \$1800 each, at the St. Joseph Hospital would be replaced with four, one at \$2500, one at \$2250, one at \$2000 and one at \$1800. The five at the Nevada Hospital would be replaced with four, one at \$2500, one at \$2250, one at \$2000 and one at \$1800. The three at the Farmington Hospital would be retained, but their salaries, instead of \$1800 each, would be \$2500, \$2250 and \$2000.

Other Pay Increases.

Also near the end of the bill is a provision for a salary increase of third from \$2400 to \$2800 for E. S. Wilson of Mexico, chief clerk of the board at its Jefferson City office.

The bill has passed the engrossment stage in the House and is on the informal calendar for final passage. It is expected that it will be passed by the House and sent to the Senate by the end of the session.

The bill has not been permitted to get out of the Committee on Public Health and Eleemosynary Institutions, of which Senator Brogan of St. Louis is chairman. The House bill will go to Brogan's committee when it reaches the Senate.

WETS SAY THEY ROUTED DRYS IN LAST CONGRESS

P. S. du Pont and Capt.
Stayton of Association
Against Prohibition Re-
view Session.

BEAT APPROPRIATION
FOR SPY SYSTEM

Blocked Entire Program of
Anti-Saloon League, Ex-
posed Use of Money and
Poison Liquor.

Post-Dispatch Bureau.
20-23 West Building.
WASHINGTON, March 8.—

Pierre S. du Pont, chairman of the boards of the General Motors Corporation and the E. I. du Pont de Nemours Co., and Capt. William S. Stayton, national chairman of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, in a joint statement review the fate of prohibition legislation proposed in the Sixty-ninth Congress and outline the modification program for the next two years.

The statement declared that the Anti-Saloon League had been unable to get through the Sixty-ninth Congress any part of its legislative program, while the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment had obtained hearings on modification bills, defeated the \$500,000 appropriation for under-cover prohibition agents, exposed the entrapment schemes of the prohibition bureau and forced a revelation of the dire results of poison alcohol.

"Three days after that Congress was elected, Mr. Wayne B. Wheeler announced that 72 of its 36 Senators were gone dry (politically) and that out of 435 members of the lower House, 319 of the Anti-Saloon League's candidates had been elected, with 11 districts still to be heard from," the statement says.

Promise and Performance.

"The League and its ally, the Methodist Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals, had promised to bring their congressional program for:

"1—Mandatory jail sentences for all Volstead act violators.
"2—Mandatory prohibition padlocking.
"3—Mandatory deportation of alien offenders against Volsteadism.
"4—Purchasers of liquor to be given the same punishment as the sellers.
"5—Confiscation of privately owned stocks of pre-war liquor.

"It was foolish to assume that Senators and members of Congress did not know something about the results of the national prohibition experiment and it was likewise foolish to assume that that knowledge would be without its effect.

"The League and its allies have of course failed to show their vaunted control of the legislative branch of government. Not a single part of their program has been adopted.

"Indeed, when two bills prepared by Gen. Andrews, head of the prohibition bureau, were about to fail of consideration, it was to the wet that they turned for help, and without their aid the bills could not even have been brought up.

Recount Wets Gains.

"But if the Anti-Saloon League were nothing whatever in a two years' campaign, what as to the wets?

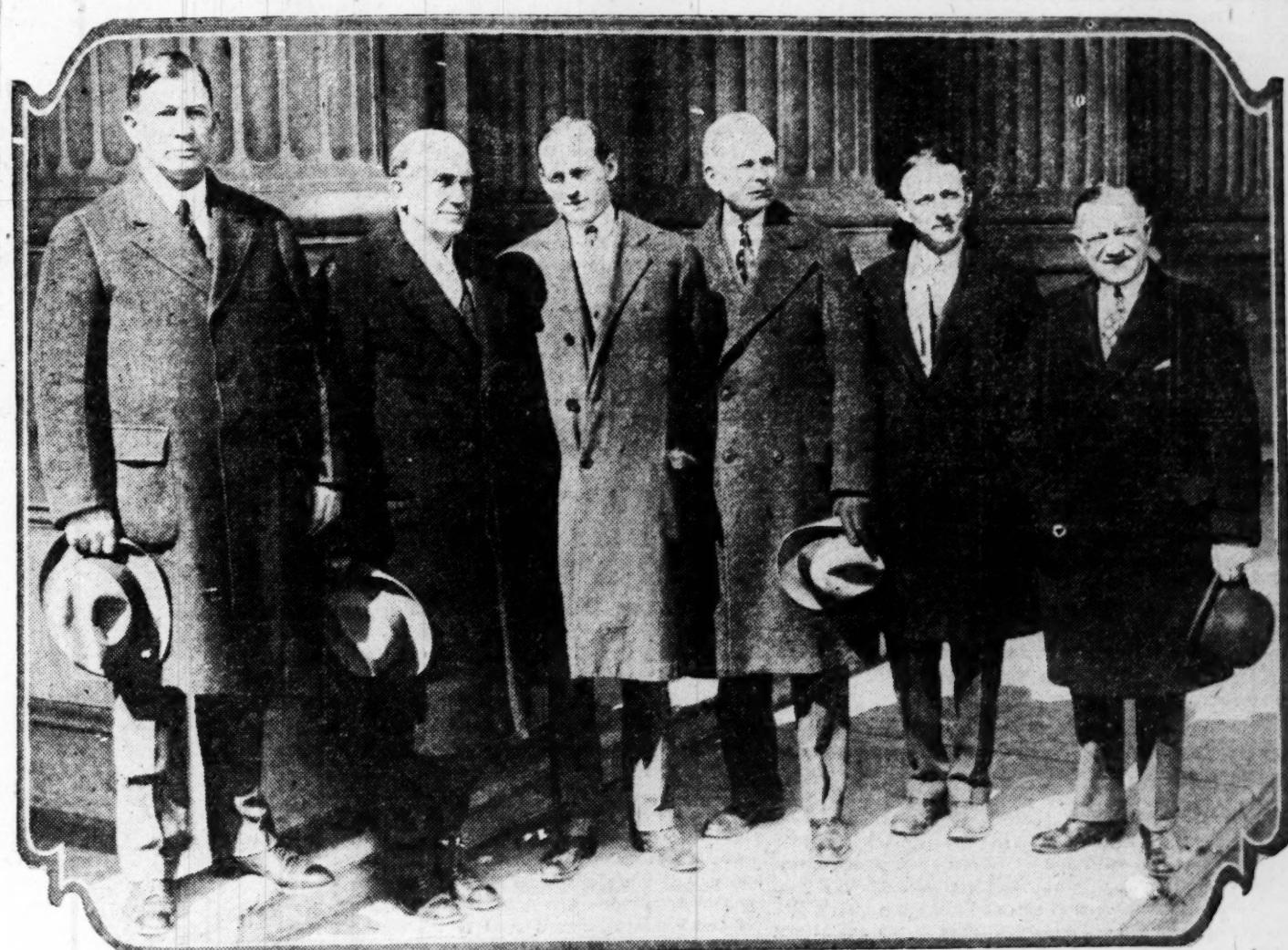
"They won the right to a hearing on the bills of Senator Edge, Bruce and Edwards, and Government officials came forward to admit the failure of enforcement, the corruption of officials and the vast increase of crime and intemperance.

"Then came Senator Reed's committee investigating expenditures. The wets voluntarily came forward with their records and received a clean bill of health without a single criticism.

"It was developed during these hearings that between 1920 and 1925, inclusive, the Anti-Saloon League had spent \$23,000,000, and in 1925 approximately \$2,000,000 more to retain control of Congress; and it was further developed that the drys through a few organizations like the Anti-Saloon League had spent during the course of the last 20 years, to force prohibition legislation upon the people of the country and to maintain it against the will of the great majority of citizens, approximately \$70,000,000—more than the combined amounts spent by the Democratic and Republican parties in the same period.

"It is apparent that without these great expenditures to keep up an artificial or bought and paid for sentiment for prohibition the entire prohibition structure would

Six New Democratic Senators in Next Congress



HERE are six Democrats who will take their seats in the Senate when the 70th Congress convenes next December. Left to right: Alben W. Barkley, Ky.; Carl Hayden, Ariz.; Millard E. Tydings, Md.; Elmer Thomas, Okla.; Hugo L. Black, Ala., and Robert F. Wagner, New York.

Gains in Elections.

"As a result of these two hearings, and of the publicity attending upon them, added by the earnest and logical speeches delivered by Liberal Senators and Congressmen, the wet cause moved forward on practically a nation-wide front and the autumn elections and referendums showed wet gains hardly foreseen by even the most sanguine.

"When, a month after this chastening election, the Sixty-ninth Congress reassembled for its final session, the wets took the aggressive and accomplished three outstanding feats:

"1. Put through a resolution forcing and exposure of the poisoning of alcohol.
"2. Put through a similar resolution compelling the prohibition unit to expose (and express regret for) its entrapment and bootlegging operations.
"3. By bringing about these exposures, the wets were able to defeat the prohibition units bill appropriating half a million dollars for under-cover and spy work for other counties would overturn the Varre paper plurality and give him (Wilson) a lead of from 25,000 to 30,000.

Expect More From Next Session.

"While we have, therefore, no cause to condemn the Sixty-ninth Congress as to its prohibition action and many reasons to praise it, we naturally expect more from the Seventieth Congress, which was elected when the breakdown of enforcement was much more evident.

"Somewhere in the mire and fog into which our country has strayed in following false guides, two great principles have been lost:

"First, the distinction between State and Federal powers, the right of home rule, of self-determination, of self-government.
"Second, the regulation of the liquor traffic based not upon mistrust and suspicion of the American people, but rather upon a firm confidence in their sense of right and wrong, and the knowledge that they have long shown their ability to govern themselves.

"Bills will be proposed looking to get the country back on the road to true temperance and out of the grip of the menacing bootleggers.

"There should be—and we believe that eventually there will be in some way or other—a resubmission of the question as to whether the people want to keep in their Constitution the eighteenth amendment in its present form—or at all."

KNEW OF NO FURNITURE TRUST

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, March 8.—Scattering \$100,000,000 worth of trade among furniture manufacturers of America in the last 20 years had not disclosed to him a furniture trust, John J. Finley, manager of the commercial department of Sears, Roebuck & Co. of Chicago, testified in the trial of 78 concerns and 65 individuals, charged with violation of the Sherman antitrust law.

Finley testified that for 20 years he had bought the furniture for Sears, Roebuck & Co. and that he had found keen competition among manufacturers for his annual or

Pennsylvania Reed Gives Notice Of Fight in the Courts to Keep Missouri Reed Out of Ballot Boxes

Will Plan Campaign of Obstruction With
Vare Friday and Senate Investigating
Committee Will Meet March 25.

By CHARLES G. ROSS.
Chief Washington Correspondent of
the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Senator David A. Reed (Rep.), Pennsylvania, leader of the fight to save William S. Vare, has let it be known that every possible legal obstacle will be thrown in the way of Senator James A. Reed's special campaign fund investigating committee to keep it from opening the ballot boxes used at the last Pennsylvania general election.

On the face of the returns, Vare, the Republican boss of Philadelphia and the beneficiary of an \$800,000 slush fund in the senatorial primary, was elected to the Senate by a plurality of 173,000 votes. His Democratic opponent, William B. Wilson, former Secretary of Labor, who is contesting the election, contends that an honest count of the ballots cast in Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and four other counties would overturn the Vare paper plurality and give him (Wilson) a lead of from 25,000 to 30,000.

It was in the hope of killing off the Reed investigating committee or at least severely crippling it that Reed had merely suspended the specific extension of the committee's authority in the next Congress.

Ballot Boxes Seized.

The fight between the two Reeds has merely been suspended. It is likely to break out afresh at any time. Reed of Missouri, supported by his Democratic colleagues and by Senator Borah and some others on the Republican side, asserts that the investigating committee has full powers to continue its probe under the resolution which created it and under the subsequent resolution adopted after the filing of the Wilson contest which empowered the committee to impound the Pennsylvania general election ballots.

Under the latter resolution, the committee already has seized and brought to Washington the Philadelphia and Pittsburgh ballot boxes. Immediately after the adjournment of Congress last Friday, the committee, acting on a written suggestion of the contestant, Wilson, ordered the impounding of the ballot boxes of Delaware, Schuylkill, Lackawanna and Luzerne Counties.

The committee will meet again on March 25, to map out its future plan of action, unless Chairman Reed is defeated by his legal duties in the Shapiro-Ford trial at Detroit.

Acts Can Be Validated Later.

One of the interesting sidelights on the situation is a statement made by Senator Borah that any action taken by the Reed investigating committee can be validated by the next Senate and any person refusing to appear before the committee or accede to its demand for papers during the recess can be cited for contempt.

The office of the Senate Sergeant-at-Arms has received no instructions from the committee to seize the ballots of those counties.

James L. Garvin, editor of the Observer, it is announced by the United States. An American newspaper committee, with Julian S. Mason of the New York Evening Post as chairman, will be host to the visitors.

CHILE TO COLONIZE REDS ON ISLAND

Communists Can Take Families
Into Exile and Must Build
Their Own Houses.

By the Associated Press.

SANTIAGO, Chile, March 8.—Several hundred communists arrested during the last two weeks in various parts of the country are to be sent to the island of Mas-a-Fuera, near Robinson Crusoe's.

Mas-a-Fuera is one of the Fernandez group, situated about 500 miles off the west coast of Chile. It is understood the communists will be allowed to take their families to the island, where a colony is to be established, with a guard of carabinieri, or Federal police, to preserve order.

The Government gave orders today to the transport Angamos to sail from Valparaiso on Thursday with the communists, who were arrested by the authorities in accordance with the announced intention of Premier Ibanez to rid the country of what he termed the bolshevik menace.

The Angamos will carry supplies with which the communists will be required to build their own dwellings. It also will carry seeds, plants and domestic animals. The island has abundant vegetation, and fish and lobsters are easily obtainable.

The San Fernandez group includes the island of Mas-a-Tierra (to the east of Mas-a-Fuera), on which Alexander Selkirk, Scotchman, was marooned, from 1704 to 1709, an expedition which is supposed to have formed the basis for De Foë's tale, "Robinson Crusoe."

The Vare forces have fought all along to have the Wilson-Vare contest put entirely in the hands of the Privileges and Elections Committee. If the Republicans organize the next Senate, this committee is slated to be headed by Senator Shortridge of California, a hard-boiled regular.

MEXICO TREATING WITH U. S.

Oil Men, Newspaper Says

By the Associated Press.

MEXICO CITY, March 8.—Excelsior carried a report today giving reliable sources as authority for the declaration that the Government is conducting negotiations with the oil interests seeking a settlement of the dispute growing out of the new oil laws. Former President Obregon is participating and hopes for a satisfactory solution, are entertained, it says.

Manuel Tello, Mexican Ambassador to the United States, arrived here last night. Accompanied by Foreign Secretary Estrada and Under-Secretary Estrada, he departed for the National Palace, meeting President Calles and former President Obregon. It was not long before the entire group went away for dinner and a conference.

Manila Bars Foreign Fishing Ships.

By the Associated Press.

ITALY RATIFIES RUMANIAN CLAIM TO BESSARABIA

Action Makes Operative
Treaty of 1920 Already
Accepted by France and
Great Britain.

DENIES THIS IS
SLAP AT RUSSIA

League Council Sets for
Autumn Arms Manu-
facture Congress in Which
U. S. Will Take Part.

By the Associated Press.

GENEVA, March 8.—Italy today announced her ratification of the treaty between the Allies and Rumania which definitely recognizes Rumania's annexation of the former Russian province of Bessarabia.

The announcement is of the greatest political importance since Italy's ratification puts the treaty into force. The treaty, signed Oct. 28, 1920, and already ratified by Great Britain and France, stipulates that it shall become operative when ratified by three of the signatories.

Schialoja, announcing the ratification to the newspaper men after the adjournment of today's sessions of the League of Nations council, asserted that the Italian decision was not to be construed as a hostile act toward Russia.

He explained that the Rome government had delayed ratification in hope that Russia and Rumania would reach an amicable solution of the Bessarabian conflict.

Probable Policy Toward Russia.

The Italian announcement carries special interest in that it comes at a time when the Foreign Ministers in Geneva are discussing the Russian question, most daily in private conversations.

Spokesmen both for Great Britain and Poland have denied that the proposed Anglo-Polish economic and financial understanding is in the nature of a common front directed against Russia.

The council adopted a resolution favoring holding the international conference for supervision of private manufacture of arms, in which the United States is to participate this autumn. The preparatory committee, which sits next week was requested to fix the date.

The council convoked the international press conference for Aug. 24.

FRENCH ARMY LAW PASSED

General Conscription to Cut Stand-
ing Force Nearly One-Half.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, March 8.—The new army reorganization law, placing every French citizen, man or woman, at the call of the country in time of war, was adopted by the Chamber of Deputies last night, 500 votes to 31. Only the communists opposed the measure.

The general plan of the bill is to arm and train the entire nation—not placing the country constantly under arms. This is expected to permit reduction in the length of service now required of conscripts and to reduce the total strength of the standing army from 700,000 to 400,000. Of this force, the professional army would number about 100,000. By the law the general principle of the equality of the sexes in the defense of the country is laid down, the first paragraph of the preamble stipulating that every French citizen, over the age of 21, is liable to military service. How far this liability applies to women probably will be cleared up later.

WOMEN CONDUCT MURDER TRIAL

Victim of Moscow Shooting Only
Man Involved in Proceeding.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MOSCOW, March 8.—A feature of today's sixteenth annual celebration of International woman's day is a special murder trial in which three Judges, all the prosecutors, defense counsel, bailiffs, and other court attaches, as well as the two defendants, are women.

The corpus delicti was the only man involved in the case. On account of crowded living conditions in Moscow, the late Latharia divord his attentions between two girls, one of whom occupied a single room. One day, showing the girls a revolver, he asked their affection by suggesting that they shoot him. One of them did.

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and light tan. Limit
of 2 bottles, each 30c

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Newest importations, in wide
assortment of
colors and trims. 69c

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and pocket. In
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Of Making Many Books

Support for the Timid

THE LITERARY REVOLUTION. By Stanton Coblenz. (Frank Maurice, Inc., New York.)

There must be a great many intelligent people who, brot by clamorous and tyrannical groups in the American literary world, have maintained a proper silence before the grogery of the literary revolution. Many of these same people may have joined in the fashioning of the new and the new, nevertheless, why the silence they did it. Without a doubt there are thousands who are regularly letting on that they are very much impressed by this or that literary revolution, and yet, as a matter of fact, can see nothing in the four-flush fellow and wonder what the Dickens the others think they see. It is more than probable that many a sober public discussion of this or that fellow's babbling has been conducted by worthy people most of whom were wondering why nobody snickered.

Such is the tyranny of fashion. We vaccinate against smallpox, yet we run eagerly to share in the latest mental and spiritual epidemic that may be far more terrible than the fever and putrescent flesh. If we all to catch it, many of us act sick away. The only sure anti-toxin is taste; and that is to be developed through habitual association with the great spirits that have passed through this world and are still here in their works.

Those who may be vaguely conscious of having been kidding themselves just a bit, by way of seeming thoroughly modern in taste, and who would like to escape such secretly humiliating freedom to their own timidity, will find considerable support in the present volume.

Whether or not Mr. Coblenz is always right is not important. His is a rallying cry for those who feel that they have been faking themselves in self-defense.

The book will have no effect whatever upon those who are now in control of the literary situation. They are themselves the unconscious victims of a social tendency, the cause of which is to be found in materialistic theory and economic conditions. Change in tendency must grow out of self-defeat.

But in the meanwhile such books as this by Mr. Coblenz may help some to work out a livable understanding of what has happened to

us and what is affecting our conception of values.

ANTHONY COMSTOCK, ROUNDSMAN OF THE LORD. By Heywood Brown and Margaret Leech. (Albert & Charles Boni, New York.)

There are two ways of being foolish on the sex question, and both are equally concerned with the epileptic notion that somehow sex is nasty. Anthony Comstock thought sex very nasty and tried to suppress it. Had he attempted to suppress gravity, he would have been neither more nor less ridiculous. The smirking literary exhibitionist, who stands upon the street corners of the world and yells "Looky" at the passing crowd, agrees substantially with Anthony. He has somehow gotten the notion that sex is very nasty and he wants to seem a devil of a fellow.

Compared with either, a billy-goat is a gentleman.

This full-length delineation of Anthony Comstock is the first book chosen for its subscribers by the recently organized Literary Guild of New York. No doubt it will be regarded by many as a contribution to the justification of literary exhibitionism now in fashion; but it merely shows the other side of the same folly. It is quite as valuable as would be an equally well-written book on those children of the pen who think they have discovered something very naughty and must go about giggling over it and telling the other boys and girls.

The fact that Heywood Brown had a hand in the making of the book should be a sufficient recommendation. A man who could write "Gandhi" may be trusted.

How the early Christian church met the liquor problem inherited from the pagans is described in a book announced for early publication by the Columbia University Press. While there are many treatises upon the Bible's teachings on the topic of temperance, this will be the first book dealing with the teachings of the early church. "The Teaching of the Early Church on the Use of Wine and the Strong Drink" is the title of which the sub-title is "With Special Reference to the Jewish and Hellenistic-Roman Backgrounds." Irving W. Raymond, an instructor in History in Columbia College, is the author.

W. E. Woodward, who debunked Washington last year, announced that he is working on a biography of General Grant. "I am admirer of Grant," says Mr. Woodward. "My biography will be wholly sympathetic."

opalescent cliff at dawn at Monte Carlo.

There we traveled ones didn't need those helpful moments when one of the Akins characters would obligingly stride to the rear of the stage and, with nose almost pressed on the distant sky, ask in measured tones:

"Mathilde, has anyone—leaped—from the cliff—this year?"

Dialogue on Sults.

Under the spell of Miss Crother's baton nearly everyone got to asking that way last night, and only Miriam Hopkins, who gave a really beautiful performance, was entirely free from such lingering carcases of Miss Akins' lovely speeches. And when, at one time or another, it fell to one of the actors to tell the audience what the title meant and in what scene Romeo had coined the phrase, it was all the presumably impatient stage manager could do to persuade him to part with the darling speech and go on to the next.

Thus Helen Ware and the beautiful and gifted Roberta Beatty and Ulrich Haupt all got up on stilts for the evening. When Miss Beatty (as Lord Eric's heart-broken wife) must say that his infidelity at 40 is like the reddening of the sumach in frightened flight from the snows, and when Miss Fitz Allen must sit on a Riviera sofa and cast forth speeches which begin with "Was it Socrates who said that there is a beast called beauty?" etc., the temptation to act up must be considerable.

And if Miss Akins' puppets seem a trifle highly colored, one must remember that compared with the gaudy folks one actually does meet on the Riviera, her play's most florid passages seem like an exceptionally drab page out of George Glassey.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MONTGOMERY

Services Today at Church She Attended For 72 Years. Funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth Montgomery, 80 years old, who died Saturday afternoon, will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the Fourth Baptist Church, Thirteenth street and Sullivan avenue. Mrs. Montgomery had been a member of the church for 72 years.

Nine churchwomen will act as honorary pallbearers at the services, to be conducted by the Rev. Oliver Shank, pastor, and the Rev. George H. Murch, a former pastor of the church. Mrs. Montgomery died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Anna Ross, 1224 St. Louis avenue, after a lingering illness.

Women to Become Missionaries. Three prospective Missouri women missionaries of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, will be accompanied to the meeting of the Women's Missionary Council of the church in Shreveport, La., tomorrow by eight Missouri women delegates. The three who will serve as missionaries after a preparatory course in Nashville, Tenn., are Miss Mary Lou Bond, Morrisville; Miss Ola Lee Rasmussen, Clinton; and Miss Lena Noll, Glasgow.

INA CLAIRE HERE IN CHARMING PLAY

"The Last of Mrs. Cheyney" a Delightful and Brilliant Crook-Comedy.

By H. H. NIEMEYER.

IN "The Last of Mrs. Cheyney," which brought Ina Claire back to the American Theater last night after an absence of several years, Frederick Lonsdale, whose previous dramatic offerings—"Aren't We All?" and "Spring Cleaning"—made no hit which they were not able to live down, has provided the smartest of smart crook plays, a delightful comedy which fairly sparkles with wit and the presence of the brilliant Miss Claire.

It is customary, perhaps, to refer to pieces of this sort as melodrama yet there is nothing very dramatic about "The Last of Mrs. Cheyney." Rather it is a social comedy which depends for its entertainment entirely upon the brightness of its lines, and the manner in which they are delivered. There are one or two flagrantly melodramatic moments, certainly, and the finish leans rather heavily upon the theater, but it is the spoken word and not the situations which provide three acts of genuine enjoyment.

There are crooks to be sure in the play but they are polite ones for the most part and Miss Claire, who has come up to Mayfair from Bloomsbury to pose as Mrs. Cheyney and become a high-toned burglar, is not really a crook at heart. In fact she sees the error of her ways almost as soon as she undertakes to become a thief. This being made apparent there is no very good reason to prevent her finding happiness at the final curtain with a certain Lord Arthur Dilling, one of her expected dupes.

And it is this Lord Dilling, perfectly played by Roland Young, who is really the star of the comedy. True the piece revolves entirely about the role of Mrs. Cheyney which Miss Claire so delightfully portrays, but most of the exceedingly bright lines were written into Mr. Young's part and the drama might easily have been ruined by a less competent actor. If you will, when you go to the theater this week—as you should—watch Mr. Young's almost imperceptible advance at the end of the play upon Miss Claire, along the edge of a table which stands between them, until he is in a position to take her in his arms, you will see as fine a bit of acting as you could wish for.

There is no great story involved in the plot. A London adventurer, who happened to be born a gentleman, chose to devote his talents to picking his way along crooked roads. He plans a big coup in the way of stealing the valuable jewels of a society woman and with this end in view picks up a shop girl and trains her, painstakingly, in the ways of the world so that she may get into the social set and take the bangles at her leisure. Miss Claire is, of course, the tool and the master mind poses as her butler. All would have gone right to schedule had not Lord Dilling fallen in love with the supposed Mrs. Cheyney, and she with him. Lord Dilling's past life—he has had a way with women—has not been all that it should be, but when he discovers that the only path which leads to Mrs. Cheyney's boudoir is up the aisle of a church he is prepared to tread that strange new road.

It is Lord Dilling who exposes the plotters, prevents the stealing of the jewels, and who, in the end, arranges for the world to see the last of Mrs. Cheyney by persuading her to become Lady Dilling.

"The Last of Mrs. Cheyney" is excellently played by a most competent cast and is charming and brilliant entertainment.

Bertha Kalich at the Shubert in "The Riddle Woman."

Bertha Kalich, for many years welcomed by St. Louis theatergoers as an emotional actress of great merit, returned last night to the Shubert-Rialto and offered a powerful portrayal of "The Riddle Woman." It was her second offering here of the gripping play by Charlotte E. Wells and Dorothy Donnelly, she having given it here some seven years ago.

Mme. Kalich's enthusiastic following hereabouts was attested by the outpouring of a throng of her admirers last night in the play in which she is seen as Lilla Olrik, a sort of tiger woman, daughter of a wealthy Danish family, who determines upon taking her life to escape its tortures. She takes with her, for her plunge into the cold waters, her young sister, Lars Olrik, head of a wealthy Danish family, saves Lilla and her sister. Lars and Lilla are married. The old, old story is revived, with a Count who had once been attentive to Lilla, and another young woman, as well. Then blackmail. Then a sacrifice demanded by the Count—a young woman friend of the Olriks. Then the tiger woman reveals herself in an intensely dramatic unfolding of the plot. And, of course, all ends well—or as well as it could under the circumstances.

Mme. Kalich, who will remain at the Shubert-Rialto only through Wednesday evening, has splendid assistance from Mary Hubbard, Warburton Gamble and Leonard Mudie.

4500 Miles of Streets in New York. By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, March 8.—There are 4500 miles of streets in New York City. The water front totals 575 miles.

TO VISIT ABROAD



—Athen-Brenner Photo.
MISS CHOUTEAU SCOTT.

MISS SCOTT, daughter of Mrs. Chouteau Scott of the Forest Park Hotel, departed today with her mother and her aunt, Mrs. John K. Erskine Jr., for New York, where they will spend some time before sailing for Europe. Mrs. Scott, Miss Scott and Mrs. Erskine plan to spend several months abroad.

Social Items

MRS. CHARLES PARSONS PETTUS of 33 Westmoreland place returned home today from Palm Beach, Fla., where she spent the late winter season.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Hotchkiss of 4233 Maryland avenue are expected home today from Pass Christian, Miss., where they spent several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Meredith Kauffman of 81 Portland place will return today from a visit to Nassau.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Krause II have returned from their honeymoon and are making their home at 7232 Forsyth boulevard. Mrs. Krause, before her marriage Jan. 15, was Miss Alice Muckerman of 4464 West Pine boulevard.

Mrs. A. L. Perkins of 13 Aberdeen place, who has been spending several weeks in Florida, is expected home early in April.

Mrs. Samuel Scott of 5638 Kingsbury boulevard, returned yesterday from a visit of two weeks in New York. Mrs. Scott will resume her readings this month at Hotel Chase. The afternoon of March 14, Mrs. Scott will read, "The Enchanted April," Monday afternoon, March 21, she will give George Kelly's new play, "Daisy Mayne" and for her

concluding number will read, "The Silver Cord," by Sidney Howard.

Mrs. William J. Porter of 4733 Westminster place, Miss Florence Ludington, daughter of Elliot K. Ludington, and Miss Margaret Brown, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. D. S. Brown, who are touring Europe, are now at Cannes. They will go from there to London and will return to St. Louis the first of April.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Pfleger of 19 Kingsbury place have returned from a late winter visit in California. They also passed a week with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Johnson of Portland, Ore., formerly of St. Louis.

Miss Gladys Muckerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Muckerman of 4464 West Pine boulevard, and who is a first-year student at the Brownson School, New York City, N. Y., attended the mid-winter house party at the Hill School, Connecticut, the past weekend.

Mrs. C. H. Hiemans of 344 North Newstead avenue, who spent several weeks as the guest of relatives in Phoenix, Ariz., will return home today.

Mrs. L. D. LeGear of Kirkwood will entertain the Jefferson Memorial Historical Society tomorrow afternoon. She will be assisted by Mrs. R. L. Sexton, Mrs. Paul Guerdard, Mrs. Reed Harkness and Mrs. John Hurck.

Fifty alumnae of the University of Iowa gathered for a banquet at Hotel Missouri last night, the occasion being National Iowa night. The program consisted of speeches and music broadcast from the University station at Iowa City, commemorating the eighty-seventh anniversary of the founding of the school.

Following the program a permanent organization, to be known as the Iowa Alumnae Club of St. Louis, was effected. Mrs. C. R. Burlingame of 5248 Bancroft street was named president and Prof. Clifford Parr of Washington University and Shaw's Garden, secretary and treasurer.

The Auxiliary Society of the Baptist Orphans' Home will give two performances of "The Princess and the Goblin" for the benefit of the home, in the auditorium of the Wednesday Club, the Friday evening and the Saturday afternoon following Easter. The plays are planned especially for the entertainment of children. Mrs. Walter Knight and Miss Margaret Ewing will direct the dancing.

Officers of the Auxiliary Society are Mrs. Frank E. Kauffman, president; Mrs. F. H. Dodge, vice president; Mrs. John E. Thomson, treasurer; Mrs. Palmer B. Bauman, assistant treasurer, and Mrs. Iva Fischer, secretary. The members of the Auxiliary Society were recently entertained at luncheon by Mrs. M. Ashby Jones of 5083 Westminster place.

JUST A MINUTE

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NOTES ON MUSIC.

The charms of music lure me—be the music sung or played, I fall for all the pretty girls, I thrill to each parade, A story in the movies that is sad as movie go Can take away my self control—can make the tear drops flow; I list to all the hard luck tales that I may chance to hear, I never turn down such demands—to all please I give ear; But should I be the least bit firm, one method stands alone—I know of naught that's more appealing than a slide trombone.

Repeating lines of poetry is one of my delights, "The face that launched a thousand ships" my gladdened soul requires, "Mais ou sont les neiges d'antan?"—that baffled spirit's cry Is such a line as holds the charm to thrill me till I die; My soul expands when wine is red and friends are there to drink, And though I lack the evidence, it thrills me when I think; But when to girls and bits of verse and wine I've callous grown, I know of naught that's more appealing than a slide trombone.

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What eludes the deepest workings of our admittedly gigantic intellect is the sudden concentration of American lives and property in any Nicaraguan town the Liberal plan to attack.

Mr. De Valera, president emeritus of the Irish Republic says that the Irish Free State will not last because it is not based on the will of the Irish people, does not accord with their national aspirations and does not satisfy their economic needs. It might be added in passing that the Free State does not suit Mr. De Valera.

TRIPLE PLAYS.

(Apologies to F. P. A.) Evers to Tinker to Chance, you know, Is the classic one of sport; And speaking of those in business, There's Fall to Sinclair to Court.

LOVELACE—SLIGHTLY ALTERED.

A landing party does not make An overt act displayed; The Chinese folk must learn to take That for a nice parade.

An optimist is a recruit ball player at spring training camp. E. D. S.

ZOE AKINS' NEW PLAY

ATTRACTIVE IN SPOTS

"Thou Desperate Pilot" Mixes Fine Scenes With Red Plush Pomposity.

By ALEXANDER WOOLCOTT, Drama Critic of the New York World.

NEW YORK, March 8.—The yawning little girl from Humana, Mo., got some finery out of the trunk in the attic and played charades again last night. She had everything according to her heart's desire, with bits out of Shakespeare to sprinkle her fine speeches, with nothing less than the turquoise Mediterranean as her background and with a fine, big, handsome hero named—it need hardly be said—Lord Eric Hamilton.

And they played her elegant piece for her on the Morocco stage, and when it was all over there she sat herself (as in a wistful Humana-like dream) clutching her velvet and ermine and gardens about her as great divas do in paintings, bowing right and left while the haut monde (led by Mrs. Patrick Campbell and Louis Wiley) came Author! Author!

One who watched that triumphantly came so inflated to his waiting typewriter that only such full-blown sentences would serve to report the mere bleak fact that her night at the Morocco Theater was presented for the first time in this borough a new three-act romance by Zoe Akins called "Thou Desperate Pilot."

Gold and Tinsel. Miss Akins is a strange mixture of dramatic poet and romantic novelist. And her new play is, accordingly, a strange mixture of beautiful letters, first theater and red plush pomposity. There are scenes finely imagined and exquisitely wrought in "Thou Desperate Pilot" and each one will be followed almost immediately by a scene which could be acted appropriately only by a stage-struck girl wringing up and down the parlor with a chenille portiere trailing behind her to make her feel elegant.

It is the kind of play which is a comedy in a Riviera casino, with the heartless tinkle of champagne glasses, the blue of the sea, the mad, carnival of the confetti-filled air, the gay desperate laughter bubbling to a shriek in the vain effort to drown the clamor of a breaking heart.

It is the kind of play one always writes after one has paid a first visit to Monte Carlo and has drunk wide-eyed, the proud and financially mendacious tale of the number of persons who have killed themselves there that season. It is understood that with a few dull exceptions practically everyone who ever later leaps off the

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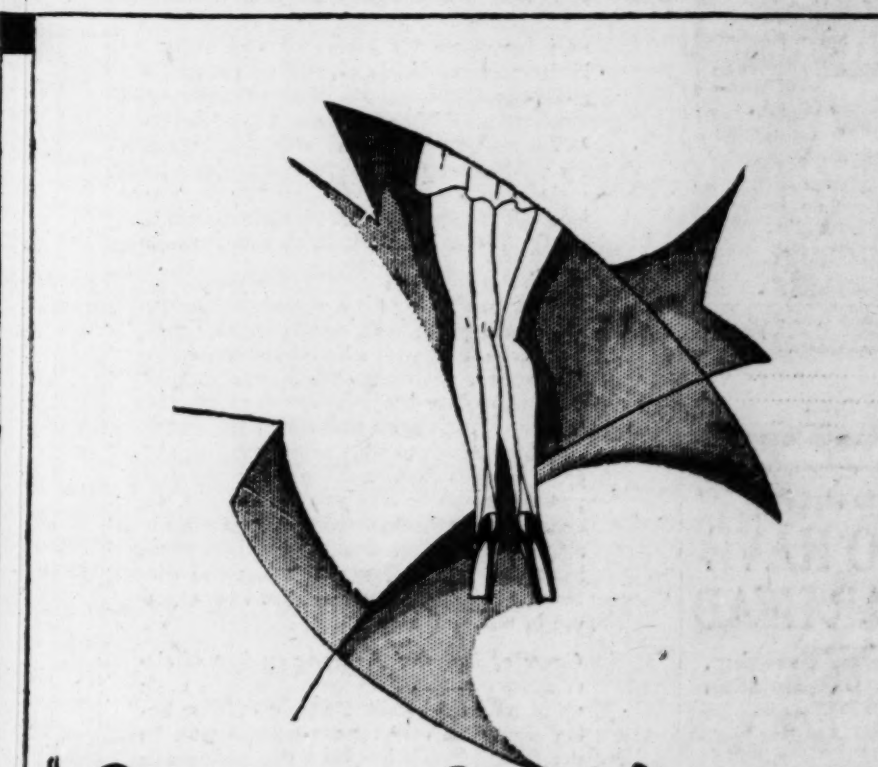


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Jane Delano, who died in service in France in 1919, was chairman of the Army Nurses' Reserve Corps before the war period, having begun the development of the reserve in 1905. The number of qualified nurses available for Government service in 1917, more than 3,000 was attributed to her organizing efforts.

PRESIDENT OF TYPEWRITER FIRM MARRIES IN ENGLAND

F. F. Ford of New York and Miss Evelyn Linnell Wed at P. venham.

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, March 5.—Frank Richards Ford of New York, president of the L. C. Smith and Corona Typewriter, Inc., and Miss Evelyn Linnell were married yesterday at Pavenham, Bedfordshire, England, relatives have been informed.

Ford's first wife is dead. He has two daughters and two sons. The bride, a daughter of the late Rev. J. F. Linnell, vicar of Pavenham, is an honorary county magistrate of Bedfordshire, and a governor of the Harpur Trust, a foundation supporting four large schools in Bedford. She is also chairman of the Pavenham parish council and a member of the Advisory Employment Committee to the Minister of Labor.

CONVICT FREED BY COOLIDGE HELD FOR INCOME TAX FRAUD

Former Federal Dry Officer Must Post \$5000 Bond Before He Leaves Atlanta Prison.

By the Associated Press. ATLANTA, Ga., March 5.—Newfield T. Jones of Baltimore, Md., formerly Assistant Federal Prohibition Director for Georgia, whose two-year sentence in the Federal penitentiary here for prohibition law violation has been commuted by President Coolidge, along with that of his brother, Winfield Jones, must post a \$5000 bond on charges of evading income tax payments before he is released, the United States Marshal announced.

The Jones brothers were convicted in January, 1925, for alleged misuse of denatured alcohol owned by the Maryland Drug & Chemical Co. Their sentences were suspended pending outcome of appeal which was overruled. They then again began sentence, which would have expired Jan. 19, 1928.

Maurice Browne Weds Post. By the Associated Press. SAN FRANCISCO, March 5.—Maurice Browne, pioneer of the Little Theatre movement in the United States, and Miss Ellen Jensen, poet, were married yesterday. Mrs. Browne is the daughter of a prominent Seattle family. They plan to leave Thursday for Browne's home in England.

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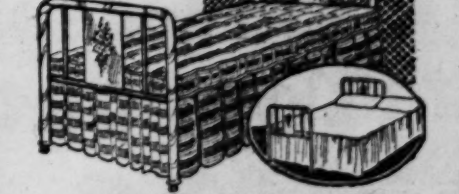
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WOMAN ARRESTED IN HOME AFTER TELLING FORTUNE

Visitor From Whom She Accepted Marked \$1 Bill Proved to Be Policewoman.

"For \$1," said Mrs. Edith Kanouse of 1966A Arsenal street yesterday, "I'll tell your past and future."

Her two women visitors said that would be very interesting. One of them handed her a \$1 bill, which she accepted, and then told the past and future, or some of each, anyway.

After the first fortune had been told and Mrs. Kanouse was about to accept another dollar for telling the second, she gave the first dollar to her daughter, Waneta, 14 years old. "Go to the bakery and get a loaf of bread," she directed. When the girl had departed, the visitors said: "We're sorry, but you are under arrest."

This was part of the past which Mrs. Kanouse overlooked while telling Policewoman Stapleton's fortune. After taking Mrs. Kanouse in custody, Mrs. Stapleton and her companion, Policewoman Fritch, followed Waneta Kanouse to the bakery, where they recovered the marked \$1 as evidence.

LAND-FRAGGING CATFISH SENT TO CHICAGO MUSEUM

African Specimens Received Also Include Black-Collared Cobra and Sundewall Skink.

CHICAGO, March 8.—Catfish which leave the water to hunt for food are among the 500 specimens of mammals, reptiles, frogs, birds, fishes and insects received by the Field Museum from the Field-Cohover-Everard expedition to Central Africa. This remarkable catfish of the tropics is equipped with modified gills, permitting it to stay out of the water for a considerable period. After dark it climbs out on land to forage for food.

Among other specimens received were a black-collared cobra, a strange snake-like lizard, known as the sundewall skink, which represents the transition between lizards with and without legs, and proboscis shrew, member of the family of smallest known mammals.

"Most Extravagant Woman's" Will

NEW YORK, March 8.—What remains of the estate of "the most extravagant woman in the country," Mrs. Julia Watt Curtis Lawrence, is left to her third husband, Dr. George Alfred Lawrence, by her will, filed yesterday. Mrs. Lawrence, who in 1911 said \$500 a day was mere pin money, had only \$25,000 outside of trust funds, totaling more than \$1,000,000, which go to her three children by provision of the will under which the mother inherited her fortune from an aunt, Miss Mary G. Pinkney.



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Boston Has 11 Holidays Annually.
By the Associated Press.
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Quick, safe, sure relief from painful callouses on the feet.
As all drug and shoe stores
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pure natural cheese
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CO-LONICS Are Worse Than Alcoholics

A CO-LONIC is a person afflicted with bacilli and poisonous matter in the colon. He is constipated and intestinal toxins seep into his blood stream. Doctors say almost 9 people out of 10 are afflicted on account of modern living conditions. The CO-LONIC drunkard is sometimes harder to live with than the alcoholic drunkard. He fuses with his wife, cannot get along with his fellow-workers, has fits of depression, blues. Or he may feel dull and lazy. Usually some condition such as scallous skins, biliousness, frequent colds, nervousness, rheumatism, etc., assails him. Get rid of constipation. Drive the bacilli from your colon. There is a safe dependable CO-LONIC treatment—entirely vegetable and non-habit forming. It is Nature's Remedy (NR tablets). Its action is thorough but mild—with none of the gripping and nauseating effects of other cathartics and physics. Make a five day test. See the poisons leave your system—your tongue clear up. Then note how you feel. At all drugists in a handy 25c box.

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The POST-DISPATCH Regularly prints MORE WANT ADS than ALL the other St. Louis newspapers COMBINED.

A Business Girl's Breakfast



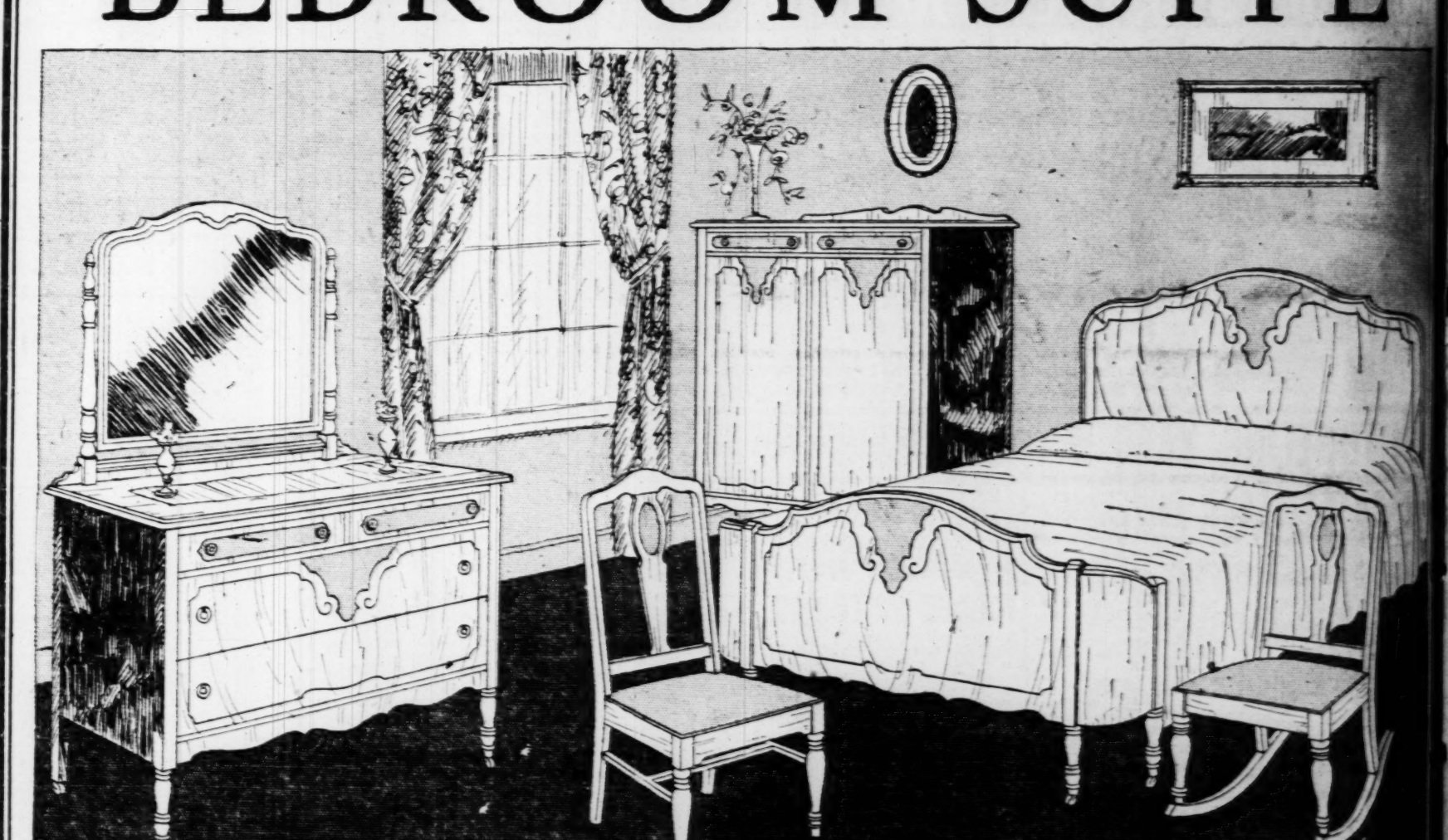
I must have something hot and nourishing to go to work on, and it must be something I can prepare between-times as I dress.

MARSHAK'S
CHOCOLATE FLAVOR
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eaten with a cracker makes me a perfect morning meal. I learned about it from my neighbor who gives it to her children every day. It is so good that I don't wonder it makes them drink milk willingly. Ask your grocer for Marshak's.

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Pay Only \$5 Down for This Outfit
7-PC. BEDROOM OUTFIT
Bow Bed . Dresser . Chiffonade . Chair . Rocker . Spring . Mattress
Exactly as Illustrated
This 7 piece outfit includes a beautiful bow-end bed, large roomy chiffonade and an artistically designed dresser. All flat surfaces are genuine walnut veneer finished in rich, antique Huguenot walnut, the bed especially shows the genuine walnut grain to excellent advantage. The chair and rocker are designed to match these three pieces. Included also is a 90-coil metal box spring made of fine oil tempered spring wire, and a 100% cotton mattress covered with heavy art ticking.

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This Outfit on Sale Wednesday Only!

Five-Piece Gray Oak Breakfast Set
Four chairs and top and bottom extension table. The construction is guaranteed and the finish is the popular French gray. Buffet to match, as illustrated, is specially priced at \$34.50.
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2-Piece Carved Frame Mohair Suite
Front posts and top and bottom rails are hand-carved, as illustrated. The superior "Nachman" spring construction is used with upholstery of mohair. Each piece is fitted with damask reverse cushions.
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Plain Figure Prices—One Price to All—**MAY-STERN & CO.**
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A KNOCKOUT FOR
Drink and Bathe in Nature's Wonderful Sulphur Water
TURKISH BELCHER HOTEL

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Your Dentist knows
35% of tooth s
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When you remember that dre still attacks 80% of all persons it time to revolutionize our me ing teeth? When your denti that, with ordinary tooth b when most carefully done, 35% surfaces never are cleaned, is find a better way?

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No "toothbrush" is like this!

The Clean-BE-Tween is not mere ly a new brush, but a new way to clean teeth. The adjustable brush reaches every tooth surface. It cleans not only the fronts and backs of teeth, but the hard-to-get-at sides, and the spaces between! The up-and-down brushing advised by dentists is easy and natural with the Clean-BE-Tween.

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Your Dentist knows that
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are never cleaned**
by ordinary tooth brushes

When you remember that dreaded pyorrhea still attacks 80% of all persons over 35, isn't it time to revolutionize our method of cleaning teeth? When your dentist shows you that, with ordinary tooth brushing, even when most carefully done, 35% of the tooth surfaces never are cleaned, isn't it time to find a better way?

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**COURT DISMISSES
ALL INDICTMENTS
IN \$400,000 CRASH**

James A. Houchin and Nine
Others Freed on Demur-
rer by Federal Judge
Davis.

**LIMITATIONS LAW
ENDS PROSECUTION**

Grand Jury Included Irrelevant Matter in Charges
Involving Failure of Two
Companies.

Indictments against James A. Houchin, Jefferson City banker and Democratic politician, and nine other men, growing out of the \$400,000 failure of the International Aerial Navigation Co. and Western Bond and Mortgage Co., were dismissed yesterday by Federal Judge Davis.

This ends the prosecution, since the statute of limitations prevents reindictment of the defendants, who, in addition to Houchin, were: Ben P. Bagby, professional promoter; Harry Allyn, president of the Western company; Thomas H. Keppel, president of the International company, and his brother, Jesse E. Keppel, vice president; William J. Simpson; Harry H. Cupit; A. B. Shannon; Dudley D. Fowler and Eben Miller. The Keppels were the only St. Louisans.

Judge Davis sustained a defense demurrer on the ground the indictment contained matter irrelevant to the issues involved, particularly a paragraph asserting Bagby "for 15 years has been active in the promotion of 15 or more companies, all of which were failures."

Loss Put at \$2,000,000.
At the time the indictments were returned, a year ago, Assistant District Attorney Stettler estimated the loss to investors in all of Bagby's operations at more than \$2,000,000, including \$330,000 in the International company and \$20,000 in the Western company.

The indictment charged the defendants with scheming to defraud through sale of stock in the two companies, use of the mails in furtherance of that scheme, and conspiracy to use the mails to defraud.

It was charged that stockholders in the International Co. were urged to invest in the Western Co. to recoup losses suffered when International's scheme for an airplane passenger service out of St. Louis failed, and then when Western became a failure, were advised to buy stock in a third concern that never materialized. Denial of International and Western was hastened by refusal of the State Finance Department to approve their sale of stock.

Houchin Denies Charge.
Houchin was nominal secretary of the Western Co. He denied knowledge of any fraudulent operations, and said he merely lent his name to the company because he had known Bagby's family for years. Allyn, the Keppels and the other defendants also denied the charges contained in the indictment. The Keppels maintained they were among the losers in the



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Houchin twice was defeated for the Democratic nomination for Governor of Missouri.

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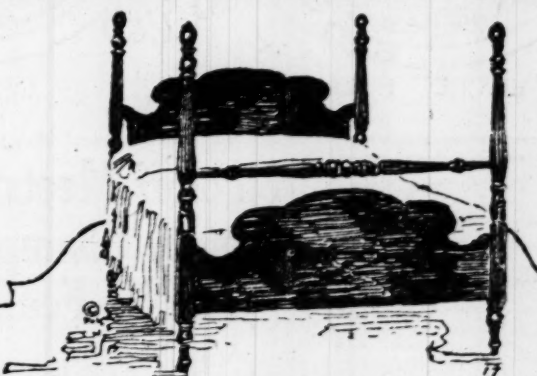


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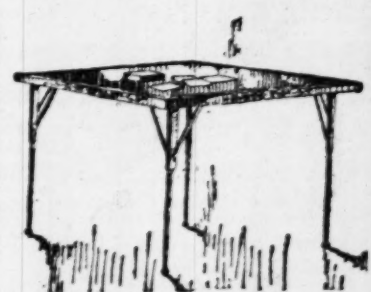
50-Pound Cotton Felt Mattress

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Double coil Springs, helical cross ties, bearing a twenty-year guarantee. Very strong and durable. Special at.....\$14.25

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500 more Card
Tables, specially
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Folding Card Tables equipped with double locking braces which makes the table absolutely rigid when in use, treated to prevent warping, plain leatherette top, very high grade. Special Wednesday at, each.....\$2.75

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Let past performance—results—be your test. That's just common sense; moreover, that's the way to pick a winner.

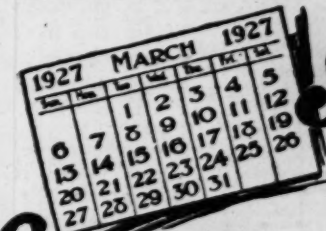
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CARDINALS' ROOKIE PITCHERS TO OPPOSE FLORIDA U. IN GAME TODAY

STOUT, SMITH AND SHELBERG NAMED TO WORK

Veterans Will Be Used Against Major League Competition — Hafey Shows He Is O. K. by Rapping Out Long Triple in Practice Tilt.

By J. Roy Stockton, Of the Post-Dispatch Sport Staff.
AVON PARK, Fla., March 8.—Manager Bob O'Farrell will send his world champion Cardinals against the Florida University nine this afternoon in the first of 26 exhibition games on the schedule of the St. Louis National League team. Today's game is the only one in which the opposition will not be furnished by a major league club.

O'Farrell announced last night that he would use Allyn Stout, John Shelberg and Hal Smith, all right handers, against the collegians. Stout is a promising recruit. He has not been used on the hill except in batting practice and the leader of the Cardinals wants to see how he will go against hostile hitters. Shelberg showed an effective assortment of curves in facing the Cardinal regulars Saturday in a practice game and his performance against the Florida nine will be interesting. Smith is a lanky youngster, with a world of steam. If he has control and curves to go with his speed he can go far in baseball. However, he has a long way to go to arrive anywhere in particular.

Koen's Work Interests.
Against the Boston Braves tomorrow, the veteran hurler will get a chance to do their first throwing against an enemy. O'Farrell said this morning that Koen, Eddie Dyer, Jess Haines, Herman Bell and Bill Sherdel were "ready to go" and that he probably would pick two or three from the quintet to face the Braves. Koen's work is looked upon with interest. Last year he burned up the league for a month and a half and helped win the pennant by capturing nine victories in his first 10 or 11 starts. He has been pronounced a "rapping pitcher" though he explains his failures later in the season by the statement that his pitching hand was injured.

If Vic vindicates that he is going to be red hot again this year in the early months, O'Farrell will be prepared to give him plenty of opportunity while April is slushing her way into May. Reinhardt, Ring and Alexander, judging from O'Farrell's statement, will be given a few more days to round into form. Alexander said the other day that he was prepared to make life miserable for any Lazzeri that happened to be around, but that's a 40-year-old scamp bone that old Pete is packing around and O'Farrell believes that age should be respected and that comparative youth should do a little serving for a time.

Chick Hafey Has His Say.
Charles Chick Hafey apparently knew what he was talking about when he shuffled into camp Sunday and blushing remarked that he thought he would be queen of the May this year. The sturdy lad from California, who would be nicknamed the "Los Angeles Lard" if he were in the hands of a boxer or wrestling press agent, said that his limbs were all to the hunk dory and that he thought he would be able to hit the ball at Spunkman's Park.

"I was a blind Tom last year," Hafey remarked in his playful manner. "When I chased a fly ball, I thought it was Halley's comet, and when I stood up to try and throw the lumber into a hook or a fast one at the plate, the ball looked like a crooked fence rail as it blurred its dizzy way up to the platter. But now it is only a baseball, and as long as they stop throwing fence rails at me, and blurry fence rails at that, and delect from cracking twin, triple and quadruple comets out to my field, I think that I can take care of as much left field as they have to any man's baseball orchard."

This was a long talk for the California crackler.
Raps Out Long Triple.
Hafey showed in the practice game yesterday afternoon that he was cognizant of the words that he was disclaiming. He took the heaviest bat in camp and cracked the ball so hard that it sailed to left field on a line. He got three bases on the clout and so terrorized the pitching fraternity that thereupon it was decided to walk him the next time, and he was walked.

Hafey also roamed far and wide in the broad meadows that they call a ball park here and he snared a goodly number of flies without wavering or misjudging. As he limped to the hotel in the evening and crawled into bed, stiff and sore, but thoroughly satisfied, he and all his playmates were glad.

Cardinals Select Rings.
The Cardinals of 1926 gathered at the hotel last evening and selected the design of the ring which they will get for having won the 1926 world series. There were some absentees. Bill Warwick and Ernie Vick, catchers, and Pitcher Sylvester Johnson have been

Cardinal Outfielders Getting Ready for Campaign



RAY BLADES.

"WATTIE" HOLM.

DANNY CLARK.

BILLY SOUTHWORTH.

—Photos by Staff Photographer Clint Murphy.

Racing Results and Entries

At Pompano.

Weather clear; track fast.
FIRST RACE—Five and a half furlongs.
Pondicherry (Champion) 2.00 14.00 13.20
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POMPAÑO SCRATCHES.

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Second race—\$700, claiming, 3-year-olds and up, three and one-half furlongs.
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Sigoloff Meets County Champion In Net Feature

Indoor Tourney at Washington U. Field House Developing Good Matches.

By Davison O'bear.

The second round of play in the men's singles event of the St. Louis district indoor tennis championship will be completed tonight on the courts at the Washington University Field House. Owing to the large number of matches in the singles, there will be only a few second round men's doubles matches on the schedule.

There are a number of probable close matches scheduled this evening in the men's singles. In one of them, Charles Sigoloff, Washington University ace, will oppose Forrest Stuckman, St. Louis County champion, while in another Joe Smith, district junior title holder, meets Vernon Tietjen, Central High and interscholastic champion.

The contest between Harvey Frohlichstein and William Bascom should prove interesting. Frohlichstein is a more experienced player, while Bascom, present Municipal junior champion, has a game suitable to the wood floor. Both players have shown good form in their previous matches.

Four young tennis stars furnished the feature of last night's matches. William Bascom and Robert Norton defeated Charles

McMillin and Vernon Tietjen in a hotly contested first-round doubles encounter. The score was 7-5, 13-11. Neither team had more than a one-game advantage except in the second set, when McMillin and Tietjen led at 5 to 3.

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By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, March 8.—The 10 games out of 11, the team of Michigan basketball won the Big Ten championship today. An overtime victory over Indiana 31-29, last night, closed the season and put the Wolverines in first place beyond reach of the other teams. The team had games yet to play to make the extra place.

Capt. Chambers of the Michigan team, coached by E. J. McCarthy, was the only thing to see anything interesting, although the experience opened their eyes. When the looking was all done, the only thing to see was the shooting in the closing minutes of the game and also in the overtime period. The new champions had a game dropped in two first halves, but they were able to overcome the deficit in the overtime period.

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Results. RICE and STERN, 6-3, 6-3; DREWES and SERRANO defeated LENT and VOEL, 6-3, 6-3; KLIN and KELLING defeated LENT and VOEL, 6-3, 6-3; GUSTAFSON and WEINSTEIN defeated CANTWELL and MORGAN, 6-3, 6-3. Bell and Schanberg defeated G. Sem and First round, Melvin Reamer defeated Robert Stauffe, 6-3, 6-3; John Clark defeated Chester Abber, 6-3, 6-3; John Clark defeated Ralph Librach by default; Vernon Tietjen defeated Eihann Rock, 6-3, 6-3; H. Viehman defeated Carl Weber by default. Second round, Sidney Weyman defeated Fred Horner, 6-3, 6-3; Leon Nussman defeated Charles Stinder, 6-3, 6-3.

BROWNS, LOOKING AT CURVE BALL PITCHING FOR FIRST TIME LOSE TO GIANTS

Blaeholder and Falk Are Pounded by McGrawmen; Hornsby Gets Three Hits

Former Leader of World Champion Cardinals Acts as Manager of National Leaguers—Mullen Twists Leg and Is Forced Out of Game in Fourth Inning.

By John E. Wray, Sports Editor of the Post-Dispatch. BRADENTON, Fla., March 8.—The Browns of 1927 looked at their first curve ball pitching yesterday afternoon. Likewise, they looked over the team that is expected to make an unusually strong bid for the National League pennant, the Giants.

The Browns looked at the curves in vain. They were unable to see anything interesting, although the only thing that was seen was the Giants scrambling off with a one-sided victory, score 13 to 1. George Blaeholder, erstwhile of Tulsa, where he burned up the furnace packing around the furnace pipes last summer, a right-hander, who was esteemed well advanced, was easy for the new Hornsbymen. George hit the canvas hard, in the first five frames which sufficed to give the Giants nine runs and an overwhelming lead. The Giants showed from the beginning that they will be a hard-driving club. LeBourveau opened the proceedings with a home run, this was then followed by a steady clouting, which in the first two innings netted the New York terrorists eight hits for a total of 14 bases and six runs. That broke the World City backbone and led the game sufficiently to enable the Giants to trot out their reserves.

Hornsby in Limelight. Not the least interesting feature of this heavy artillery barrage was the part played by Hornsby, "Captain" Hornsby, and, to all intents and purposes, Acting Manager Hornsby, if you will. Hornsby hit two corking doubles and concluded his afternoon with a single in the ninth. He was walked once out of five times he faced the pitcher and he scored three runs. He batted 730 on the afternoon. Before the game Heinie Mueller, former Cardinal, volunteered the information that "The Skipper was hitting very well." Indicating that Rogers will make a real hitter for the Giants when finally he rounds to. Incidentally, it seems apparent that John McGraw will give Hornsby every opportunity to show his

Ready for Season



GEORGE SISLER.

fit McGraw-size shoes. McGraw arrived late and sat on the bench, but Hornsby appeared to be doing the honors of the day. The Browns were not meeting the ball yesterday. They proved unable to hit Virgil Barnes with any success and it was not until the fifth inning that they located Barnes' successor, Henry. A base hit column for the afternoon of eight safeties doesn't sound so badly, but in only one round did the Browns show evidence of hitting punch. There seemed a lack of power as well as direction to their punch.

Strangely enough, they reached the left-handers for the only consistent rally they developed. That occurred in the fifth round, when, with one man down, Gerber, O'Neill and Blaeholder singled in succession. On the last safety, however, Steve O'Neill gummed the works by overrunning second considerably, forcing Gerber to attempt to get home. He was caught in a run-up. Rice, who was swinging solidly but missing, failed for the third out. Mullen Forced to Retire. The only run scored by the Browns was the result of a hitless inning, the fourth, when Henry, taking the hill from Barnes, hit the first batter, walked Sisler and permitted two infield outs and a wild pitch to send Mullen all the way

JUST LIKE OLD TIMES

	BROWNS.	GIANTS.	A.	O.	E.
Rice, cf.	4	0	0	0	0
Wells, 3b.	2	0	0	0	0
Richardson, 3b.	2	0	0	0	0
Sturdy, 1b.	2	0	0	0	0
Shulte, cf.	2	0	0	0	0
Barnes, 1b.	2	0	0	0	0
O'Rourke, 2b.	2	0	0	0	0
Gerber, 1b.	2	0	0	0	0
O'Neill, c.	2	0	0	0	0
Rice, 1b.	2	0	0	0	0
Blaeholder, p.	2	0	0	0	0
Mullen, p.	2	0	0	0	0
Totals.	32	0	0	0	0

George Sisler was the best bit of glad news on the team yesterday. He looked good, played well and took his old-time whack at the ball. He made a double, his first time up, and it was about the smartest drive of the afternoon for sheer cleanness. With the battle lost, Sisler made way for Sturdy, a southpaw under-study at first base. Sturdy is a good-looking ballplayer, who handles himself very well. He is good trading timber or valuable as an understudy. Manager Dan Howley took the game philosophically. "It's just a practice affair and we will be in better fix next time," he said, "I wanted to try out Blaeholder, as he seemed to be the best physically conditioned man available. I like the looks of some of my players very much, but at this time the team is in an experimental stage."

Howley yesterday chose not to "rag" his men on the field for mistakes they made. On the occasion, when Blaeholder threw to center field in the fifth inning and let in two runs, Howley did not scold. Just patted George on the back and grinned at him. Dixon's Arm Is Sound. The Browns' first appearance showed that the team will be all right in catching equipment for following O'Neill's good work behind the bat. Dixon, of the broken arm, gave a sweet exhibition of how to catch and throw. His injured arm is sound as a dollar. The real showing of the day for all except St. Louisans, of course, was the playing of the Giants. They slammed the ball solidly and often. They surrounded fielding plays with sureness and effectiveness; they have the air and the demeanor of men who know they are going somewhere; and they

Have Same Cocky Determination

that the Cardinals showed last year. Furthermore, the club displayed an amazing array of second string strength when its lead had been established after the sixth inning. An entirely new team was in the field with the exception of first baseman Terry and third baseman Lindstrom. The talent all seemed of the usual stripe, big husky fellows who can pound the ball. While the Giants did not face any first string pitchers, they looked at two thoroughly conditioned hurlers in Blaeholder and Falk, who have no alibis. The Giants, according to everyone at Sarasota, are headed somewhere. Hornsby in Great Shape. They have a great and hard hitting infield, 12 outfielders, several of them, including the great Ed Roush, of strictly top caliber. A pitching department reinforced by one of the few surviving great spitball hurlers, Grimes, and a fair catching staff. In addition, they have the most effective leader modern baseball knows. They have

Horemans Defeats Hoppe, Takes Lead in 18.2 Tourney

Titleholder Drops to Sixth Place as Result of 400 to 233 Defeat—Cochran Meets Grange and Schaefer Opposes Hoppe in Matches Today.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, March 8.—Drawings for today's matches in the world championship 18.2 ball game led oldtimers to forecast a probable re-establishment of the triple tie for first place which was broken last night when Eduard Horemans, Belgian, forged to the front by defeating Willie Hoppe, present title holder. The loss was Hoppe's second of the tournament and dropped him to sixth place. Horemans has not lost a game in three matches. Welker Cochran of California, and Jake Schaefer of Chicago, who have won two and lost none, were favorites to win in today's games. Cochran meets Felix Grange of France in the afternoon, while Schaefer faces Hoppe tonight. Horemans was in great form in checking up a 400 to 233 victory over the champion last night. He went out in nine innings and had a high run of 124. Hoppe, shooting apparently under pressure, could click but 72 without missing. The other contest yesterday resulted in the sixth straight defeat for Kinsey Matsuyama of Japan, Grange winning, 400 to 194. Yesterday's averages: Matsuyama, 122-16; Grange, 239-17; Horemans, 444-9; Hoppe, 291-8. Standings: Horemans... 3 0 Hoppe... 1 0 Schaefer... 2 0 Matsuyama... 0 0 Cochran... 1 1

St. Louis U. High Has Prep Flag Virtually Cinched

Tie Is Worst That Can Happen to Coach Stanton's Basketball Men.

A tie for first with Christian Brothers High is the worst that can befall the St. Louis University High basketball quintet in its chase for the Preparatory League pennant. Yesterday the young Billikens trimmed John Burroughs, 48 to 3, and boosted their standing to 10 won and one lost. Today's conflict between Christian Brothers and Western Military Academy on the former's floor may settle the race, as a defeat for the Brothers quintet will put them out of the running and give the Billikens the flag. It is the last game of the season for Christian Brothers. St. Louis U. High has one more game to play. In a game which has no bearing on the championship, McBride meets Chamblade tonight on the McBride floor. Score of St. Louis-Burroughs contest:

Name-Position	Field	Goal	Points
Klaus, right forward	5	2	12
Lawson, right forward	1	0	2
Wentmore, left forward	3	0	6
Kennedy, left forward	2	0	4
Dilly, center	4	0	8
Plunkett, center	2	0	4
Roberts, right guard	2	0	4
Puff, right guard	0	0	0
Hemp, left guard	0	0	0
Mudd, left guard	0	0	0
Totals	21	2	48

Name-Position	Field	Goal	Points
B. Read, right forward	0	0	0
B. Read, left forward	0	0	0
Woods, left forward	0	0	0
Bacon, center	1	0	2
Royd, right guard	0	0	0
Jansen, right guard	0	0	0
Vesil, left guard	0	0	0
Johnson, left guard	0	0	0
Totals	1	0	2

Vacca to Meet La Barba Again

Brighton Boxer Beat Champion in First Bout—Return Tilt March 21.

By the Associated Press. BOSTON, March 8.—Johnny Vacca, Brighton flyweight, who recently surprised the boxing world by whipping Fidel La Barba of Los Angeles, the champion, in a 10-round bout here, has been signed for a return fight March 21. La Barba retained his title in the previous bout because of a catch-weight arrangement. JUNIOR BILLIKENS FILE FOR NATIONAL CATHOLIC TOURNEY. By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, March 8.—Five more high school basketball teams, state or sectional champions, today accepted invitations to play in the National Catholic tournament at Loyola University, starting March 17. They are St. Joseph of Pittston, Mass.; Elder High of Cincinnati, St. Louis U. High of St. Louis, Champion Academy of Prairie Du Chien, Wis., and St. Joseph College of Oklahoma City.

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LOCAL LEAGUE TO STAND PAT ON ITS OFFER

Colo Colo Eleven Also Asks That Contests Be Arranged for March 19 and 20—Cup Tilt Sunday.

Winton E. Barker, president of the St. Louis Soccer League, announced this morning that he expected to close arrangements for a two-game series between local eleven and the Colo Colo team of Chile some time today. The Colo Colos hold the Chilean championship.

In reply to an offer from the Chileans by the local officials at Mexico, came a reply which stated that the 50 per cent of the gate was all right, but that the visitors wanted a \$2500 guarantee for the contests here. The Chileans also requested that the dates be set for March 19 and 20, instead of the coming Saturday and Sunday.

After receiving the message, Barker answered that the 50 per cent of the gate receipts was the best offer that the St. Louis Soccer officials could make and requested an early reply.

Western Squash Champion Gives East a Surprise

Although Defeated, George Stocking Gains Unprecedented Ranking.

NEW YORK, March 8.—George I. Stocking of Omaha, lone representative of the West in the National Amateur Squash Tennis championship, has clinched a ranking in Class A, becoming the first Western player to be placed in that division.

H. R. Misset of the Princeton club, ranked fourth in the country, last night eliminated Stocking, the Western champion, in one of the most spirited matches of the year. The fact that Stocking held the Princeton player to 17-15, 15-16, won for him a place in the select group.

JONES BEGINS TRAINING FOR TITLE WRESTLING MATCH WITH STECHER

Paul Jones, signed by Promoter Tom Packer for a title match with Joe Stecher, world's heavyweight mat champion, started training yesterday. The bout, which will be two falls to a finish, will be staged at the Coliseum Tuesday night.

NAVY RING CHAMPION MATCHED BY TIPPETT FOR COLISEUM SHOW

Jimmy Lucas, St. Louis flyweight, who battled his way to the United States Navy championship during recent service, will make his professional boxing debut in a preliminary of Thursday night's show at the New Coliseum.

Matchmaker Jack Tippet announced yesterday that he has matched Lucas with Sammy Zeigler, a former local amateur star, for a four-round contest. Zeigler, an amateur was awarded point verdicts over Max Baum, Bruno Klesner and Billy Cain.

The flyweight event completes a program of eight bouts. Winners of three contests on Tippet's inaugural card two weeks ago will compete in three events of Thursday's show.

Sets Jump Record.

BOSTON, March 8.—Katherine Harris of South Boston last night set a new record for women in the standing broad jump at a meet conducted jointly by the city of Boston and the New England A. A. U. Her leap of 7 feet 7 1/2 inches was 3/4 of an inch better than the previous record set by Ethel Y. Simmons of New York on Feb. 12, 1926.

Babe Ruth Socks One in General Direction of Tampa

170,000 Beauty Shows Old-Time Form in First Practice; Hargrave Signs and Joins the Reds; Speaker in Senator Uniform.

By the Associated Press.

Babe Ruth, now in the Yankee camp at St. Petersburg, Fla., seems to be as proficient as ever. In his first practice he took three preliminary swings, and hammered a fierce line drive in the general direction of Tampa.

Before the practice Babe shot a 32 at golf. Only three regulars, Meusel, Combs and Penneck now are absent from the camp.

The speed and condition of "Irish" Meusel, former Giant and brother of Yankee Bob, are pleasing Manager Wilbert Robinson at the Dodgers' camp in Clearwater.

"Sherry" Smith Reports.

CLEVELAND, March 8.—With permission from Manager Jack McCallister to don a Cleveland Indian uniform, "Sherry" Smith, Cleveland southpaw hurler, rejoined the team's pow-wow at Lakeland, Fla., today after being a holdout since the opening of the winter's salary negotiations. Salary settlement is to be made later.

Hargrave in Red Camp.

CINCINNATI, March 8.—The Reds face their first major league test today at their Orlando, Fla., training camp, in their game with the Cleveland Indians. Ritzey, Donohue and Jablonowski are slated to pitch for Manager Hendricks.

Petting, recruit second baseman, played a great fielding game in yesterday's practice contest, making three hits in four times up. He is taking the place of Hughes Critz, who has not yet signed a contract.

Bubbles Hargrave, regular catcher, came to terms yesterday and President Herrmann immediately withdrew offers he had made for other catchers, which included Gaby Hartnett of the Cubs, Wally Pipp, another hold-out, arrived yesterday and is expected to work out today.

Cub Shortstop Stars.

CHICAGO, March 8.—Arrival of the last contingent of White Sox regulars at the Shreveport training camp was the signal for the pruning knife of Manager Schalk and three rookies were shipped home yesterday. Despite a heavy overnight shower, Schalk put over a two-hour drill, which gave the two newly acquired veterans, Roger Peckinpaugh and Aaron Ward, a chance to show their abilities.

The new \$50,000 shortstop of the Cubs, Elwood English, impressed his credit audience at Catalina yesterday by his sparkling work in the field, but his bat-

Rookie Edison Bows Over Cobb With Hot Liner

By the Associated Press.

FORT MYERS, Fla., March 8.—Tom Edison has made good with the Philadelphia Athletics.

In his first time at bat, Edison, a local boy, who has won some fame in the Invention League, yesterday whaled the ball back at the pitcher, Ty Cobb, with such vigor as to knock \$75,000 worth of baseball talent flatter than the joke about youth being served. Cobb was hit on the shoulder and fell in the dust.

If Mr. Edison had gone in for baseball instead of electric lights, phonographs, rubber, and such folderols, he would have been a great free hitter. That is the deliberate judgment of Cobb, Manager Mack "Kid" Gleason and Ira Thomas, a quartet whose views rank pretty high in baseball circles.

SCRANTON, Pa.—Mike Chapin, Scranton, won a technical knockout over Clyde Jones, Atlanta, three rounds.

WARNING TO INVESTORS IN PROPOSED GREYHOUND TRACKS

Prospective investors in greyhound tracks in the promotion stage are advised to investigate the mechanical devices to be used in their construction, as vigorous prosecution for infringement on patents granted the late O. P. Smith, founder of the sport, is now under way in the courts of several cities.

A temporary injunction already has caused a cessation of activities on five tracks, due to patent violations by their builders, and it is the desire of this Association to prevent unfortunates from squandering capital in projects that may be thwarted through misuse of rights granted others.

THE INTERNATIONAL GREYHOUND RACING ASSOCIATION

Favorites Win In Golf Tourney

Hagen Scores Brilliant 31 on Last Nine in Four-Ball Event.

By the Associated Press.

MIAMI, Fla., March 8.—Favorites came through the second round of the international four-ball golf tournament at the Miami Biltmore course yesterday, but not until they had been extended to sensational heights.

Tommy Armour, Washington, and Bobby Cruikshank, New York, will oppose Al Espinosa, New York, and Gene Sarazen, Chicago, and Billy Burke of Danville, Ky., will meet Walter Hagen, Pasadena, Fla., and Jack Hutchison, Chicago, in the semi-finals.

Cruikshank and Armour, with a best ball of 62 yesterday morning were seven up on Harry Hampton, Memphis, and Clarence Hackney, Atlantic City. Cruikshank had a best ball of 61, with three conceded short putts. Espinosa and Sarazen finished 7 up on Willie Klein, Garden City, N. Y., and Charley Murray, Toronto, with a best ball of 63. Walter Hagen went wild on the back nine during the

morning round, scoring deuces on the fourteenth, fifteenth and seventeenth holes and a birdie three on the eighteenth to finish with 31. This put Hagen and Jack Hutchison 8 up on Mike Brady, New York, and Cyril Walker, New York, at noon.

As a result of the sensational morning golf the afternoon matches, with one exception, lacked color.

The final scores were: Armour and Cruikshank defeated Hampton and Hackney, 4 and 3; Sarazen and Espinosa defeated Klein and Murray, 4 and 3; Mehlhorn and Burke defeated Al Carberry and Tom Boyd, both of New York, 4 and 3; Hagen and Hutchison defeated Mike Brady and Cyril Walker of New York, 7 and 6.

TRAVELING GOLFER TO RESUME MARATHON

By the Associated Press.

LAFAYETTE, La., March 8.—Doe Grahame, Mobile (Ala.) golfer engaged in driving a golf ball from that city to Los Angeles, Cal., and who, after reaching Lafayette yesterday made plans to abandon the project on account of lack of finances, announced last night that he and his caddy, "Happy" Kirby, would continue the trip, leaving here this morning. Grahame stated here this morning, Grahame stated he had received new funds by telegraph enabling him to continue.

Since leaving Mobile, Grahame has made over \$600 spots, according to figures kept by him and Kirby.

"Tinkering" With Rules Must Stop

So Says Coach Zuppke of Illinois in Criticizing Latest Legislative Experiment.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, March 8.—The latest revisions of football rules have found little favor with coaches of the Western Conference, except for the agreement on timing of shift plays, which the Big Ten pioneered last fall.

Particular exception is taken to the rule moving the goal posts back 10 yards from the touchdown line, to lengthen the distance of the goal kicker. Robert Zuppke of Illinois and Jimmy Phelan of Purdue were especially displeased with the effort to minimize the importance of the goal after touchdown.

"If they wanted to legislate against the point after touchdown," said Zuppke, "why didn't they move the team from the three to the 15 yards line?"

Phelan, Glenn Thistlethwaite of Wisconsin and others said they regarded the regulation protecting the fumbled lateral pass as a weak move.

"It looks like they were trying

to make football over into basketball," said Thistlethwaite. "American football has proved that the direction to move is forward, not backward or laterally," was Phelan's comment.

"Reviewing the course of the Football Rules Committee over several years," Zuppke said, "one cannot but feel that its legislation has been erratic. Sooner or later they must stop tinkering with the rules. Perhaps the best plan would be to permit the committee to meet only once in three years."

Knute Rockne of Notre Dame said he was pleased with the decision on the shift play, which, under the pause of approximately one second, "Retains its strategic advantages and must be highly perfected to avoid the increased penalty."

STECHER BOWLS OVER RENATO GARDINI IN BLASE NEW YORK

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, March 8.—Joe Stecher, claimant of the heavyweight wrestling championship, won a best two out of three fall match from Renato Gardini of Italy here last night. Stecher won the first and third falls, both with body scissors. Gardini took the second fall with a headlock.

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Boxer Quits in Sixth; Pleads His Contract

By the Associated Press. JANEVILLE, Wis., March 8.—QUITTING in the sixth round after having out-punched Vic Walters of St. Paul, King Rollo, Chicago boxer, last night refused to fight any further, saying he had contracted to box only six rounds, although the bout had been scheduled for 10.

23 Washington Stars Entered in Local Meet

Team, Made Up of Freshmen, to Try for Western District Honors.

The entry of 23 Washington U. athletes in the Western A. A. U. meet scheduled for Saturday night at the Coliseum was announced today by Washington athletic authorities. Because of the absence of the varsity track men, who will be competing in the Valley indoor meet at Des Moines, Ia., the team has been made up principally of freshmen and will run unattached. Dr. Bill Edmunds announced.

Inter-City Championship Bouts on Tonight's Card

Two Allegheny District Fighters Meet St. Louis Boys in Feature Events of People's Motorbus Show.

Dave Knost of Sherman Park Community Center meets John Kacur of Uniontown, Pa., and Pete White of Sherman Park battles John Haggerty of Pittsburgh, in a pair of inter-sectional boxing contests scheduled as special attractions of an amateur boxing tournament to be held tonight under the auspices of the People's Motorbus A. C., at the new St. Louis University Gymnasium.

Basket Quintets Sign Stars for A. A. U. Tourney

Hillyards Add Byers to Roster, While K. C. A. C. Grabs Petersen and Gordon.

By the Associated Press. KANSAS CITY, March 8.—Non-collegiate entries in the annual A. A. U. basketball tournament to be held here next week have joined in a scramble for college stars whose season is now finished, to strengthen their lineups for the national title race.

CHICAGO MAN LEADS HOCKEY POINT SCORERS

By the Associated Press. MONTREAL, March 8.—Capt. Dick Irvin, center of Chicago Black Hawks, was a single point ahead of Frank Frederickson, Boston center, today in the race for individual scoring honors in the National Hockey League.

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BUDERS FAIL IN EFFORT TO HALT SUIT IN U. S. COURT

Litigation Involves Trustee's of \$4,000,000 Estate of Late

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The Supreme Court of the United States yesterday refused to act in the request of G. A. Buder, trustee of the estate of E. D. Franz, and his brother, Oscar E. Buder, St. Louis attorneys, to prevent Ehrhardt Franz sued for an accounting from the trustees and to have himself adjudged one of 10 potential heirs of the estate, also to require an increase of the trustee's \$100,000 bond.

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The Franz estate was founded on a \$21,000 investment by the elder Franz in 1894 in Burroughs Adding Machine Co. stock. The estate has been under the trusteeship of G. A. Buder and Oscar A. Franz, of Pasadena, Cal., another son. Ehrhardt Franz sued for an accounting from the trustees and to have himself adjudged one of 10 potential heirs of the estate, also to require an increase of the trustee's \$100,000 bond.

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Woman Tries to End Life

By the Associated Press.

CAMBRIDGE, Ill., March 8.—While in a room on the second floor of the Henry County court house, Mrs. Lottie Robinson of Keokuk attempted to jump through a closed window. Her sister grabbed her as she crashed through the glass and prevented her from falling. Her arm and hand were badly cut. Mrs. Robinson was waiting at the courthouse to be taken to the State Hospital at Watertown, where she had been a patient for two years.

Suspend Nurses in Poison Inquiry

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, March 8.—Three student nurses involved in the fatal poisoning of six babies at Columbus Memorial Hospital, a week ago, through a mistake in using boric acid instead of sodium chloride, have been suspended pending investigation of the hospital board, and the coroner's inquest. The girls admitted the mistake, which caused boric acid to be injected into the veins of the babies.

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NEGRO MINISTERS EXPEL MALONE FROM ALLIANCE

Refused Demand That He Withdraw Receiver Suit.
Aaron E. Malone, husband of Mrs. Annie M. Turnbo Malone, founder of Poro College, a \$1,000,000 business, yesterday was expelled from the Ministerial Alliance of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, for refusing to obey the command of the Alliance that he withdraw his suit for a receivership against the college.

The meeting, held at St. Paul's Church, 15 North Leffingwell avenue, began with prayers and hymns and then the Ministerial Alliance heard the report of its civic committee recommending Malone's expulsion. Since Malone's estrangement from his wife, he had laid claim to a half interest in Poro College. Mrs. Malone asserts that it all belongs to her.

The Rev. J. G. Brewer of Madison, Ill., spoke against expelling Malone and offered a resolution that the Alliance try to effect a reconciliation between the Malones. This was voted down and the Alliance expelled Malone, who was a lay member. Mrs. Malone is the wealthiest Negro in St. Louis and a heavy contributor to the churches.

BOY INJURED IN COLLISION

Fred Stuehr Jr., 16, Was in Auto, Not Struck By It.

Fred Stuehr Jr., 16 years old, 3365 Wisconsin avenue, suffered a fractured skull and internal injuries at midnight, Sunday, when an automobile in which he was riding driven by Charles Daniels, 17, 3316 South Broadway, was struck by a Bellefontaine street car at Pestalozzi and California avenues.

It was stated erroneously in yesterday's Post-Dispatch that Stuehr was struck by Daniels' machine.

DEAN SCARLETT ON HINDUISM

Dean William Scarlett will give the first of a series of Wednesday evening addresses tomorrow at 8 o'clock in Christ Church Cathedral, Thirteenth and Locust streets. He will speak during Lent on "Some Great Religions in the World," and his topic tomorrow evening will be "Hinduism." Other weekly topics are: Buddhism, Confucianism, Christianity and Mohammedanism.

Tuesday mornings during Lent Dean Scarlett will have half-hour services of personal religion, speaking at 11:30 a. m. on "The Principles of Our Lord."

Robbed of \$47 As He Opens Store.

Harry Abrams, grocer at 1149 Blackstone avenue, was robbed of \$47 by a man in an automobile who held him up at 6:45 a. m. today as he unlocked the front door of his store.

R. L. Stokes Sued for Divorce.
Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson Stokes yesterday filed suit to divorce Richard L. Stokes of New York City, alleging general indignities.

They were married in 1915 and separated last September. Stokes, formerly drama and music critic of the Post-Dispatch and now on the staff of the New York Evening World, entered his appearance.

Attention, Taxpayers!

The Assessment Books, showing the complete assessments of both Real and Personal Property, will be open for inspection in this office on March 21st, 1927. It will be to the interest of ALL parties, owning Real Estate as well as Personal Property to call at that time and examine their assessments.

The Board of Equalization will meet in this office on Monday, March 21st, 1927, and remain in session for four (4) weeks and no longer. Parties who believe they are erroneously assessed should present themselves before the Board for relief. Complaints must be in writing and sworn to on forms furnished by this office. After the Board of Equalization has adjourned it will be impossible to make any corrections in the assessments for 1927 taxes.

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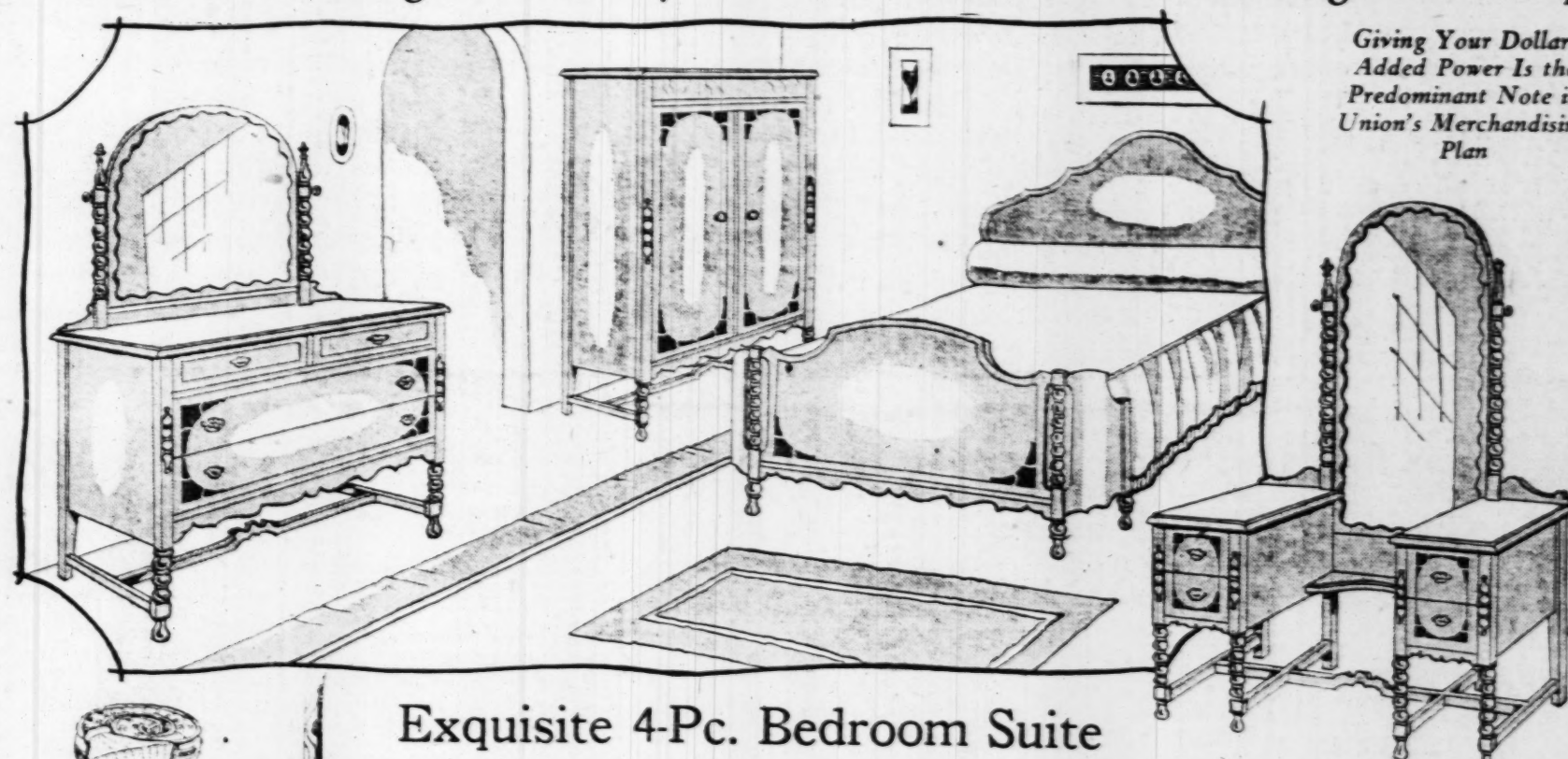
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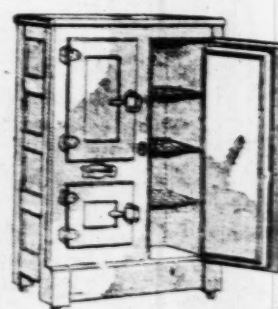
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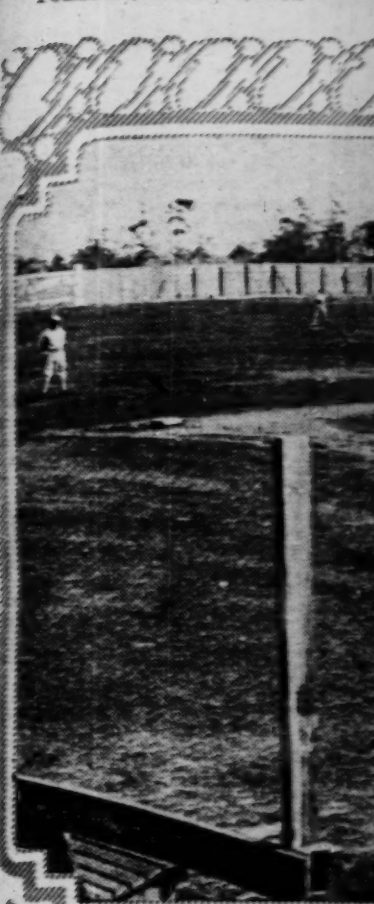
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Popular Comics News Photographs

TUESDAY, MARCH 8, 1927



Panorama view of training ground champions are getting in shape.

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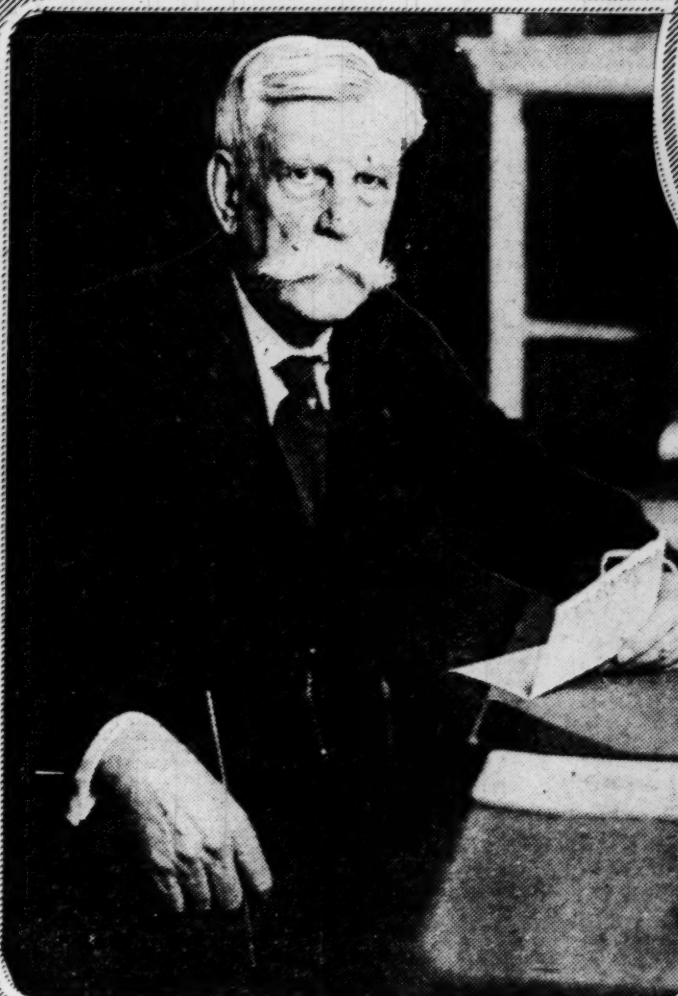
Recently invented tractor which on a high slope, owing to ingenious and driving mechanism.

THE CARDINALS' BASEBALL YARD FOR SPRING PRACTICE



Panorama view of training grounds at Avon Park, Florida, where the St. Louis world champions are getting in shape for the opening of the 1927 season.
—By Clint Murphy, Post-Dispatch staff photographer.

JUSTICE HOLMES NOW 86 YEARS OLD

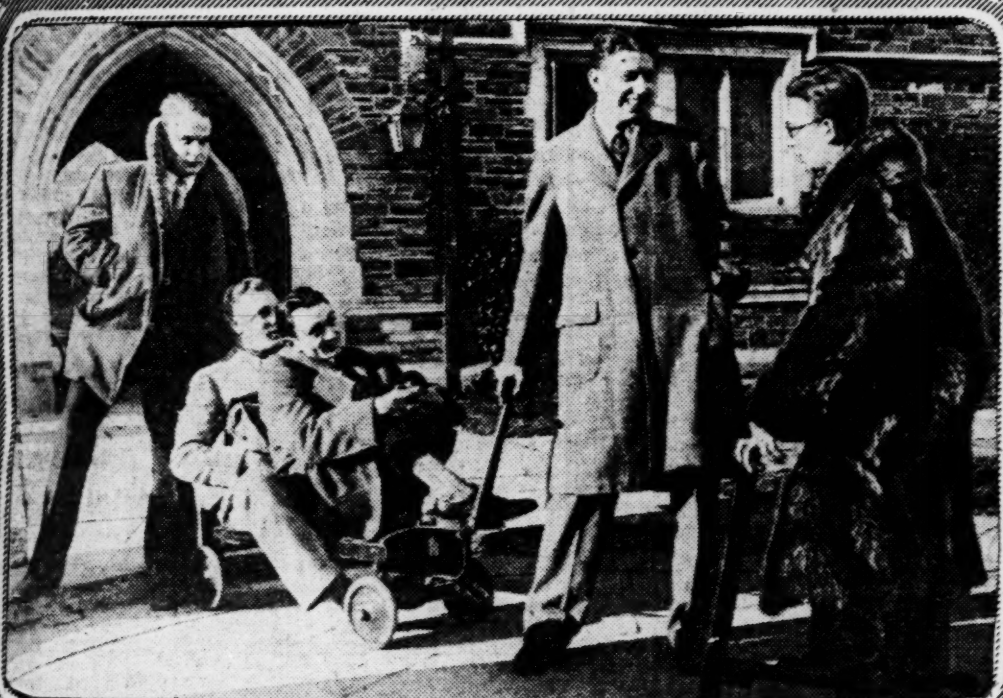


A specially posed photograph of the oldest member of the nation's highest tribunal who, on March 8, celebrated his birthday. He also is oldest in point of service.
—Underwood & Underwood



WATCHING "DAD" AT BASEBALL PRACTICE
Mrs. George Torporcer and daughter Ruth, with Mrs. Herman Bell, and son Jimmie, photographed at the Cardinals' training park.
—By Clint Murphy, Post-Dispatch staff photographer.

A PROTEST AGAINST THE "NO AUTO" RULE AT PRINCETON

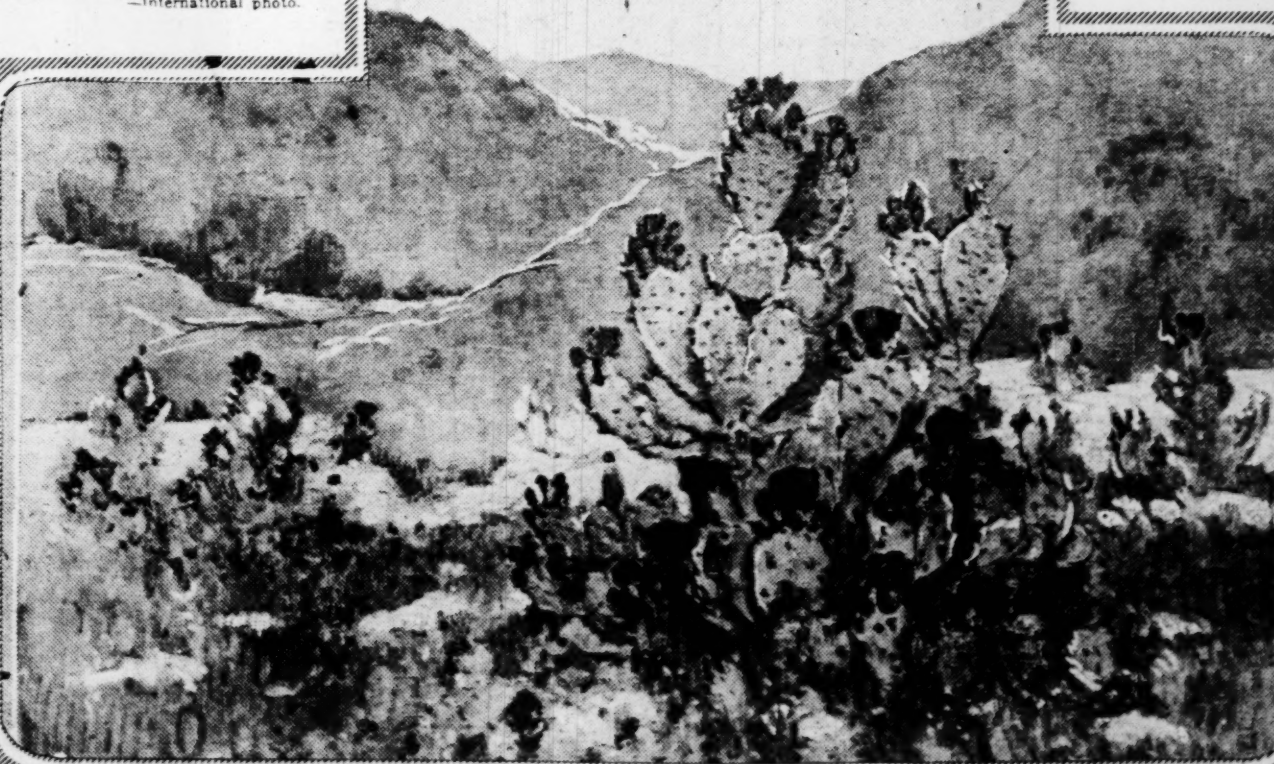


With toy express wagons, roller skates, scooters and kiddy cars the students who feel aggrieved at order depriving them of their sport roadsters are giving visible evidence of their feelings.
—Herbert photo

AN EXPENSIVE LAMP TO BREAK

This is the new 10,000-watt incandescent bulb designed to illuminate air fields for night landings, being shown to army and commercial airplane officials.
—International photo.

PAINTING OF CACTUS LAND WINS \$5000 PRIZE



"The Glory of the Morning," by Dawson-Watson, St. Louis artist, gets premier award at competitive exhibition held recently in San Antonio.

COLLEGE PRESIDENT ST. LOUIS VISITOR

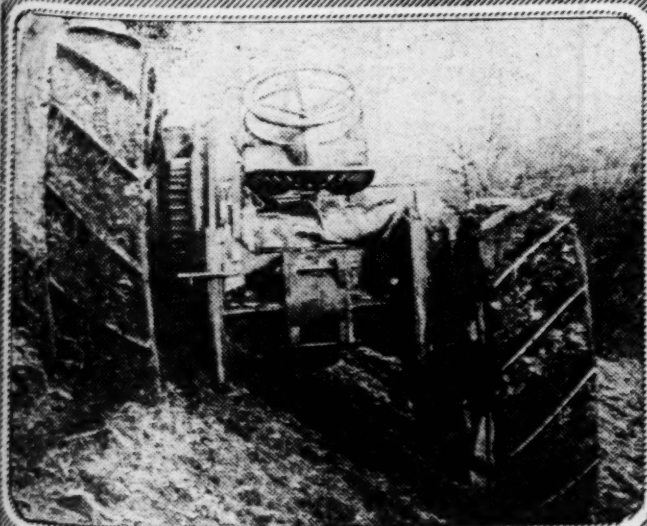
George D. Olds, President of Amherst College, will attend annual dinner of the alumni on Thursday evening.

READY FOR THE DANCE ORCHESTRA TO START



Mary and Margaret, the Siamese twins of Mrs. John Gibb, of Holyoke, Mass., with their partners for a two-step. They are accomplished pianists and dance well, despite the handicap.
—International photo.

NOW YOU CAN PLOW YOUR HILLS



Recently invented tractor which will not overturn even on a high slope, owing to ingenious arrangement of axle and driving mechanism.
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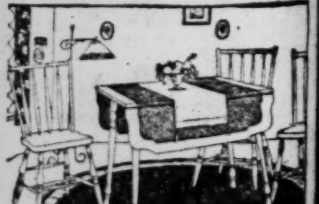
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FABLES
FOR
FLAPPERS

By Marguerite Mooers Marshall

The Girl Who Had Everything.

ONCE upon a time there was a Girl Who Had Everything. She was a decidedly pretty creature with curly, golden-brown hair.

And glinting, brown eyes and a straight, Greek nose.

Her face had kept the lovely child-like contour.

From the base of the ear to the point of the chin.

She was slenderly graceful, without being scrawny.

You had only to see her springing walk.

To know how well she danced.

Also, she was a good tennis player. A fair hand at bridge and the possessor of a snappy line.

She lived at home, after being graduated from high school.

She had plenty of spending money. A devoted family and lots of friends.

Girls liked her, and there were always two or three boys.

Who took her to the movies and dated her up for dances.

And still the Girl Who Had Everything was not always happy.

If you had observed her superficially.

You would have seen her dancing, laughing, flirting her way along.

Yet, as a poet once observed.

"The thoughts of youth are long, long thoughts."

And not always such merry and glad ones.

The Girl Who Had Everything kept a diary.

And every little while an entry began, "I am so miserable."

Maybe some kind "friend" that day had told her.

That the girl she liked best had been saying catty things about her.

Probably the "friend" repeated the "things."

"Because I thought you ought to know."

Or maybe the Best Boy Friend had not called up, as he said he would.

And she couldn't help wondering what was the matter—

Maybe, she thought, he didn't like her new bob.

Maybe he believed her in earnest.

When she kidded him about the derby he had just acquired—

(Actually, she had always hated the style.

But she considered it awfully becoming to him!)

Maybe the Brazen Blonde, living across the street, had told her.

That she had seen him at the crossroads.

Maybe—oh, what should she do if THIS were true?

Maybe—ah, quite PROBABLY—he had decided.

To drag the Brazen Blonde to the next country club dance.

Oh, well, in that case she simply wouldn't go!

She could get at least two bids without half trying.

And she'd just run out of town and spend the night at Aunt Sallie's.

And she'd tell all the crowd, mysteriously.

That she had a heavy date with an out-of-town man.

Then the Best Boy Friend would hear about it.

And maybe wish he hadn't given the Brazen Blonde such a tumble—

Or maybe he wouldn't care—

Maybe he never had cared—

If he had cared, he surely would have "phoned" as he promised.

Oh, well, she might as well stop scribbling in his old diary.

And go to bed, even if she did cry herself to sleep—

He couldn't possibly ring up, as late as this.

Stilly, you say?

Oh, very well, but were you ever any age between sixteen and twenty-six?

And have you forgotten just how you suffered during that decade?

"If the rest of life," you said to yourself, wearily.

"Is like this—I don't want to live!"

What Do You Know?
A Daily Knowledge Test

NEARLY everyone harbors the idea—secretly, in most cases—that he, or she, knows just a little bit more about most things than the other fellow. Perhaps he has learned a great many things over a long period of time, but does he remember them? DO YOU?

Here are 10 questions, the answers to which you probably knew at some time or another. Can you answer them now? Ten questions will be published every day on this page. See how many you can answer. Credit yourself with 10 points for each question correctly answered, and at the end of the week add your daily average totals and divide by six to get your weekly average. It's a splendid game for all the family for the evening. See how many questions each can answer, and keep their averages along with you.

The answers to the questions printed below will be found on page 34 of this section TODAY. Don't look at them until you have written your answers, then you can refer to them to check your score for the day.

- 1.—Whose name was signed first on the Declaration of Independence?
- 2.—In what sort of diseases does a pediatrician specialize?
- 3.—What is tin, and how is it obtained?
- 4.—What Italian of the present is a great poet and likewise a great soldier?
- 5.—Who wrote "Doll's House"?
- 6.—What is the maximum legal alcoholic content of a beverage?
- 7.—What are passenger elevators called in England?
- 8.—Where is sperm oil obtained?
- 9.—How many feet in a fathom?
- 10.—What were the names of the first twelve apostles?

Children's Bedtime Story
By THORNTON W. BURGESS.

The Little Balls of Fur

Of eyes that see there are but few,
I hope they are possessed by you.

—Old Mother West Wind.

IT is true that real seeing eyes are about as scarce as the proverbial teeth of a hen. Folks have eyes, but most folks don't know how to use them. They think they do, but they don't. All sorts of interesting things are right under their noses and yet are not seen. There is an old saying that "People see what they look for." It means that if you start out to look for one particular thing, you are very likely not to see all the other things which you might see.

You will remember that Peter Rabbit and Jumper the Hare were hidden under some hemlock boughs, from which they could peek up and see Hooty the Owl and his nest, in which Mrs. Hooty was sitting on some precious eggs. It was a spring sign. They knew that Mr. and Mrs. Hooty did not begin housekeeping until they were sure that by the time the babies needed warm winter Sweet Mistress Spring would be on hand to give it to them.

"Is that where Hooty always sits?" whispered Peter to Jumper. "No," said Jumper. "He sits there a good deal now, but that isn't his regular watch tower. You see that tall dead tree over there? That is Hooty's watch tower. That's where he delights to sit when he is watching for a breakfast, a dinner or a supper. 'Did you ever see the funny little balls at the foot of that tree?'"

Peter shook his head. "I never did," said he. "Come on over there now," said Jumper. "They are funny balls. Hooty drops them from his mouth. I have seen him do it. Yes, sir, I've seen him do it. Come on."

Very cautiously Jumper led the way and Peter followed along behind him. They took care to rustle no leaves nor to make any sound



"Yes," said Jumper, "what kind of fur is it?"

whatever. Every two or three steps they stopped to look up at Hooty to make sure that he didn't see them. But Hooty was half asleep, and when they saw this they felt better. So presently they came to the foot of the tall dead tree. Jumper began to poke about among the dead leaves at the foot of the tree. He kicked something over to Peter. It fell near Peter's feet. He examined it curiously. "It is a fur ball," said he. "Yes," said Jumper. "What kind of fur is it?"

Peter looked sharply. "It looks like the fur of Whitefoot the Woodmouse," said he. Jumper kicked another one over to him. "How about this one?" he inquired. Peter looked at it carefully and he had a funny feeling. "There's rabbit hair in this," said he. Again Jumper nodded. "Right," said he. "I suppose you know what that means?"

Peter hesitated. He wasn't quite sure just how to answer that. "Break it open!" commanded Jumper. Peter pulled it apart. "Why," said he, "there are bones inside!" Jumper nodded. He nodded very vigorously. "Yes," said he, "there are bones inside. Those bones are rabbit bones at that."

Peter's eyes opened very wide. "You mean"—he began, and then stopped.

"I mean," said Jumper, "that Hooty the Owl has dined on a rabbit some time or other. If it wasn't one of your children you are lucky, Peter."

Peter looked curiously at those little balls of fur. He wouldn't have known that they were balls of fur had he not known that that was what Hooty was half asleep, and when they saw this they felt better. So presently they came to the foot of the tall dead tree. Jumper began to poke about among the dead leaves at the foot of the tree. He kicked something over to Peter. It fell near Peter's feet. He examined it curiously. "It is a fur ball," said he. "Yes," said Jumper. "What kind of fur is it?"

Learning to Entertain

By Angelo Patri

Angelo Patri is just the principal of a New York grade school, but the late Charles W. Eliot, president of Harvard, said Patri is doing more for common-school education than any other person in America. This school, a model in every respect, is a mecca for teachers from all parts of the country.

MOTHER, may I ask Tom and Sarah in for tea Sunday night?

"Surely. Only you must treat them as guests. Your guests. I will sit at the table but you will have to be hostess."

"Oh, mother, I couldn't."

"Yes, you could. It is time you began."

"What'll I have to do?"

"First you have to plan what you will serve for them to eat."

"All right. Can I ask Nora to make anything I like?"

"You can ask but Nora can say no if she wishes and I know her well enough to know she will if it's necessary. So be prepared."

"All right. I'll have something I know they both like. What else must I do?"

"Arrange about setting the table and the decorations."

"I don't know what to do!"

"You can ask me and I'll tell you what I think but I won't do anything about it. This is your party."

"Goodness. Well, what do I have to do next?"

"You must receive them at the door, show them to the room where they remove their wraps, wait for them in the living room and entertain them until tea is announced."

"I will come into the living room then and we will go to the table, your father and I leading the way, and you and your guests, one each side of you following. You will see that your guests are placed. You will serve the tea, father will serve the principal dish. You will watch to see that your guests have everything before they feel the need of it."

"After tea, you rise from the table when I do, you take your guests into the living room and entertain them there. I will not appear. I want you to learn to entertain people and relieve me. This is a good chance."

Helen had no idea that entertaining two young people meant so much work. She had to have consultations with Nora. Then she had to hunt up the table cloth and the right napkins and the glasses she wanted to use had to be washed and polished and so did the silver. Ordinary things wouldn't do for this great occasion. Then she had to go for fine hair and it was hard to find good ones of the color to go with the glasses for the money she had. They wouldn't sit in the holder the right way and mother just smiled and said, "I think you'll manage."

The young hostess got through the tea some way. She was excited and tired. And Nora had said, "It's all right to use that china and glass and silver but if you do, mind you, you'll have to wash it yourself. I wouldn't have the time because of soaking the wash."

All the time she fed records to the victrola and passed the chocolate she kept, thinking of those dishes. She began to watch the clock. When it struck the hour for hats and coats she almost applauded.

"You did very well," said mother. "Next time don't dress up the table so and you won't have so much work. This time Nora and I looked after the special service. Hospitality is just as real and lots heartier with ordinary service. But you did very well."

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Another article by Mr. Patri will appear tomorrow.

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Peter looked curiously at those little balls of fur. He wouldn't have known that they were balls of fur had he not known that that was what Hooty was half asleep, and when they saw this they felt better. So presently they came to the foot of the tall dead tree. Jumper began to poke about among the dead leaves at the foot of the tree. He kicked something over to Peter. It fell near Peter's feet. He examined it curiously. "It is a fur ball," said he. "Yes," said Jumper. "What kind of fur is it?"

Peter looked sharply. "It looks like the fur of Whitefoot the Woodmouse," said he. Jumper kicked another one over to him. "How about this one?" he inquired. Peter looked at it carefully and he had a funny feeling. "There's rabbit hair in this," said he. Again Jumper nodded. "Right," said he. "I suppose you know what that means?"

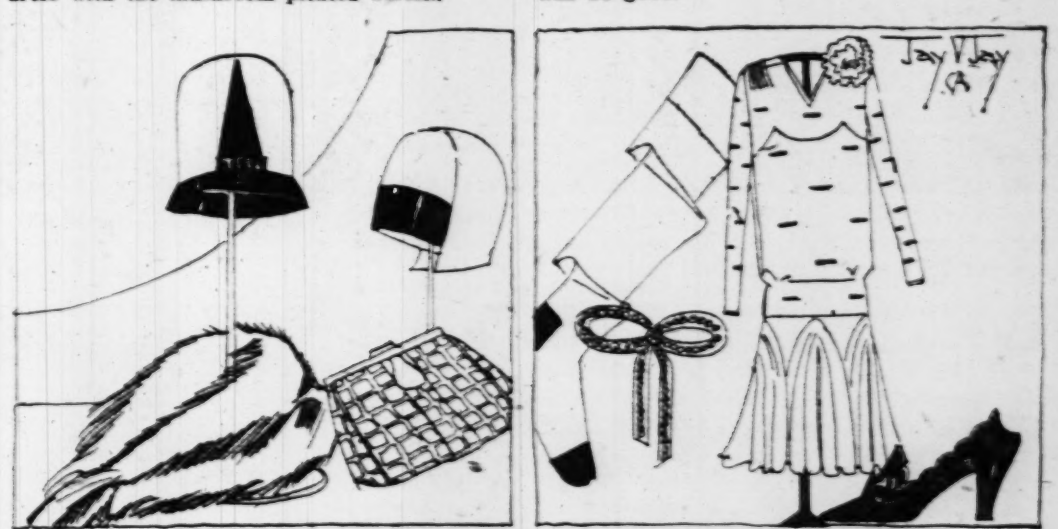
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MODISH MITZI Mitsi Keeps—Even Adds To—Her Reputation

By Jay V. Jay



Eleanor-at-college writes to Mitsi. "I need a spring outfit and I'm sure you know what I want and where to get it, so will you please?" That's what it means to have a style reputation. One of the ways Mitsi has established this reputation is by wearing the newest of styles—like this dress with the mushroom pleated bertha.



Now about the hat. A hat is difficult to choose for any one. Either one of these hats could hardly be a "mis-guess." One is a combination of navy blue crocheted straw and felt. The other is the close fitting felt with earlap effects. An alligator got dyed blue for the purse so that matches the rest of the costume.

Of course, she knows what Eleanor wants. Something new, smart and blue. Well, plans Mitsi, she should have a navy blue coat with the bow effect on the collar. Also a bunch of blue violets. Blue kid gloves—navy blue—will match the coat. Costume jewelry in blue, too, will be good.

The marine blue chiffon frock will delight Eleanor—and fill her classmates' hearts with envy. Blue kid shoes, even blue sheer hose and a bow of sapphires completes the best "blue" shopping day that Mitsi ever had in her life. Mitsi has not only maintained her reputation—she's added to it.

of oil and one of vinegar. Add to the romaine, toss and serve.

Deserts. Whip cream until it is very thick. Mash raspberries, peaches, melon or other fruit with powdered sugar. Mix with cream, chill and serve.

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"I could say much more about my special kind of parenthesis and how pleasant I find them, but in order to do that I should have to pass through fields and fields of the flower of womanhood, stepping perhaps rough shod over those beautiful faces upturned to listen to my words. I might hurt the sensitive hearts and turn their love for life into a personal hatred. To avoid being hated by the fair sex, I must stop with the oft-repeated phrase: 'Women are to man what men desire them to be—women is to me—an agreeable parenthesis in my busy life; they never have been more, nor can they ever be less. Today, I have no time to punctuate my life with other than work, but in the past, now the long ago past, when I was free to pick and choose my style of writing, I often found the parenthesis a pleasant way to punctuate.'"

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Do You Use Your
Soured Milk?

By Chas. A. L. Reed, M. D.,
Former President of the American
Medical Association.

YOU doubtless frequently have milk left over that has become sour.

This means that the lactic acid ferment, always present in milk, has become active. It has caused the production of this particular acid and certain other chemical changes, which, in turn, give the milk a sour taste with coagulation or curdling of its more solid portion called casein.

When these changes have occurred you, like most people, are very likely to throw the milk away.

Do you know that in the Near East—Bulgaria, the Balkans, Turkey, Asia Minor, especially Arabia—the natives never drink milk until after it has undergone the souring process?

In those countries, however, they direct the souring by introducing a ferment, a bacillus, any one of several varieties that they have found by experience to be most wholesome for the human system.

In the Mohammedan countries the most cherished present to a bride is the "milk ball" which she immerses for a time in the milk while it yet has some animal heat. This starts the fermentation before the lactic acid germ can get in its work. The resulting sour milk is called Kefir which, made from this germ, contains a lot of alcohol. These sturdy people, who are known all over the world for complete abstinence from alcoholic drinks, really consume great

quantities of this alcoholized milk which they likewise feed to their healthy and vigorous babies.

Sour whole milk contains just as much cream as sweet whole milk and the casein of the one is just as nutritious as that of the other.

Your Bureau of Dairy Industry of the Department of Agriculture, Washington, is right now conducting research work to find new and profitable means of using the by-products of milk, which are so often a complete loss.

We are told that the most important sources of loss of milk solids are the waste of skim milk and whey. For this reason the Bureau of Dairy Industry has done some work in an effort to utilize skim milk more efficiently, and has added in making the concentrated sour skim milk processes more successful.

As a result of these experiments we are advised that, as a means of disposing of surplus skim milk, concentrated sour skim milk has certain advantages. It can be supplied for use as a hog and poultry feed at from 3 to 4 cents per pound, and thus furnish you most healthful food. It is a stable product for which there is an established market. It can be made at any season of the year and stored to supply a uniform demand or it can be sold to jobbers whenever a

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The Diary of a New
Father

TUESDAY NIGHT.

THE baby's hair is all gone now. He just looks fierce, but Joan laughs at him. I told her I did not see how a mother could have the heart to laugh at her bald-headed baby, and I said, "Why don't you write and ask your father about that hair tonic he used?" and Joan said, "Oh, please stop worrying. It will all grow in again soon."

I said, "Providing it does, you are hoping it will be long and curly, of course," and Joan said, "I certainly am." I said, "If it grows in curly, I can't help it. That's fate and hard luck. But my son is never going to be a Little Lord Fauntleroy while I can earn enough to pay a barber to cut his hair, even if 50 cents is twice too much."

Joan said, "Wouldn't you look cute taking a tiny infant to a barber shop to have his hair cut?" I said, "Well, I can always cut it myself, can't I?" and Joan said, "Not while I am here to protect him, you can't." I said, "Don't tell me you would ruin that child's life by letting his hair grow down over his shoulders—and curly, too, maybe," and Joan said, "He will be a roughneck soon enough, with you around. I am going to keep my baby a baby as long as I can."

I said, "You won't make a sissy out of

IF YOU'VE HEARD THIS ONE, STOP ME—By BRIGGS



The Man on the Sandbox

By L. Davis



ALIMONY BLUES.

A CHICAGO Judge rules that a man must pay his alimony in cash and not in groceries.—News item.

Take back the lettuce thou gavest. What is thy cabbage to me? Take back thy onions and spinach—

Lay off the sugar and tea!

GOING UP.

"Supreme Court Upholds Theater Ticket Scalping."

The scalpers are afraid no more. And prices will begin to soar. The tickets that the scalper scalps will now go higher than the Alps.

LOOK OUT, BABE!

According to a correspondent the signing of Babe Ruth was a sad blow to one Elias Funk of Oklahoma City, who said he would have played in Babe's place for less money.

"Alas!" exclaimed Elias Funk. "This Babe Ruth stuff is all the bunk."

While I admit his work is nice, I'd take the job for half the price. And save the Yankees quite a chunk."

He remarked recruit Elias Funk.

QUITE SO.

It must be quite a comfort to Col. Ruppert to know that he has such a willing worker as young Elias Funk ready to step into Babe's shoes in case of accident.

Chickens come home to roost, as the feller says. Ask Jim Reed, he knows.

While the filibuster was going on Charlie Dawes used up nearly all the court plaster in Washington on his split lip.

With Frankie Frish filling Rogers Hornsby's shoes the Cardinals ought to repeat if Frank Snyder can find a pair of pants big enough for him.

Frank may have pulled a boner last fall but he's going to be among those present this year when the plums are being passed.

See where the City Plan Commission proposes to put \$45,000,000 in the river bank. Capital idea!

"Four Sunday Golfers Exonerated By Jury."

What did they do, exhibit their cards and prove that they weren't playing golf?

KRAZY KAT—By HERRIMAN



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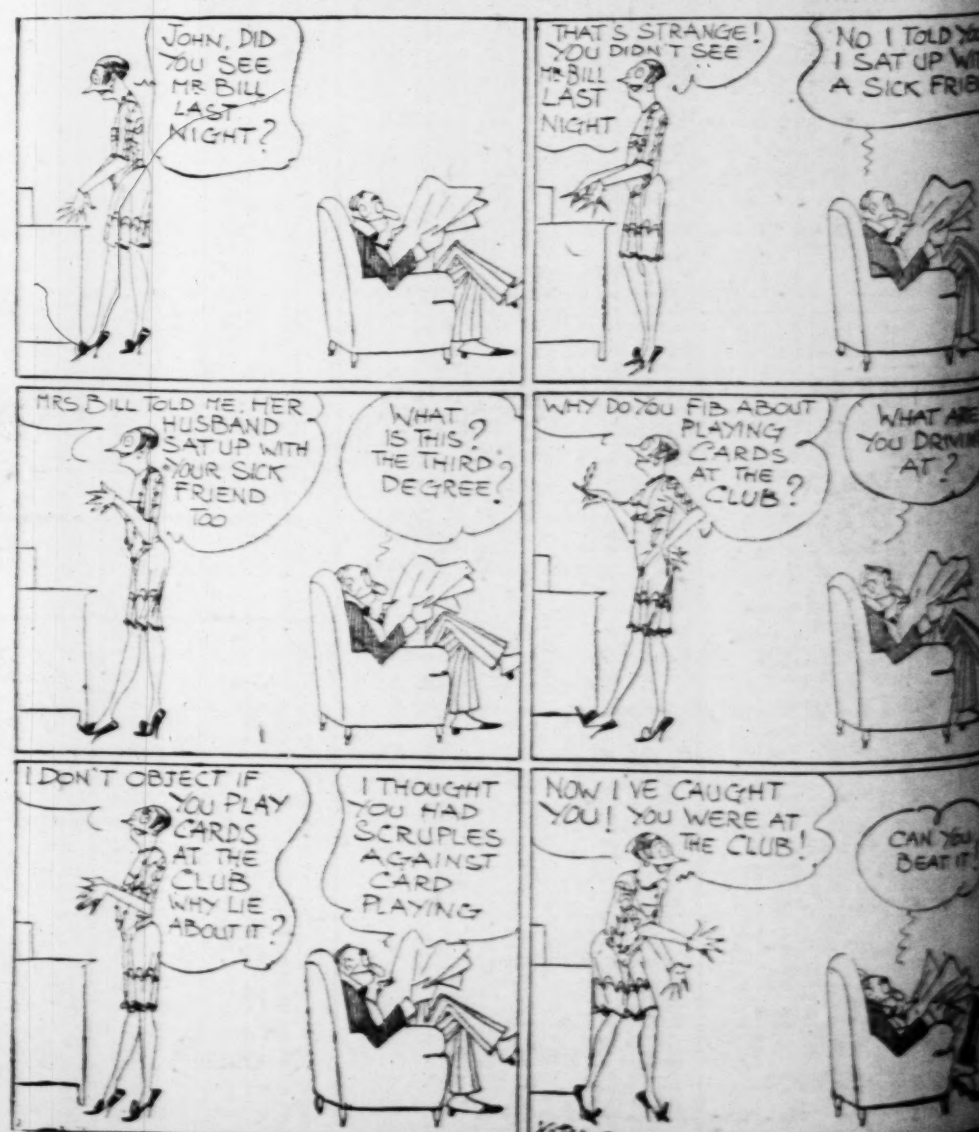
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DEFENSE JOLTED IN H. F. SINCLAIR CONTEMPT TRIAL

Hitz Declares Pertinency of Questions Oil Man Refused to Answer Is Established.

MARTIN LITTLETON ASSAILS RULING

Aserts It for Jury Not for Judge to Determine This Vital Point—Prosecution Rests.

By PAUL Y. ANDERSON, Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The government's case against Harry Sinclair, the oil magnate, charged with being in contempt of the United States Senate, was abruptly closed this morning and presentation of the defense began.

The evidence introduced by the government was extremely meager and showed merely that March 1, 1924, Sinclair was called before the Senate Committee, investigating the lease of the Teapot Dome.

He refused to answer questions which he refused to answer.

Most of the evidence offered by the government for the purpose of proving the pertinency of the questions was excluded by defense attorneys, upheld by Justice William H. Taft of the Supreme Court of the United States.

In making the opening statement for the defense George F. Hoover declared it would be shown:

1. That Sinclair had appeared and testified five times before the committee.
2. That suit was to be filed against him by the government and that he had answered these questions might have endangered his interests.
3. That most of the questions asked of him on that occasion had been answered by him.
4. That the committee as a whole did not expressly direct him to answer the questions.
5. Upon finding that one of the questions as recited in the indictment did not agree with the question as shown by the committee, the government dismissed at once the indictment, leaving the case open for a new indictment.
6. Prior to the occasion on which he refused to testify, Sinclair had appeared before the committee five times and had testified "fully and freely," Hoover said.

Sinclair Protected Himself.

He declared it was only after he had adopted a joint resolution authorizing the employment of special counsel to start suit to recover the reserve that Sinclair declined to testify further, believing it might prejudice his interests.

He added that some of the material introduced in the questions had been answered by Sinclair on previous occasions.

Another point raised by Hoover was that after Sinclair declined to answer, the committee did not discuss to answer, as it had on another occasion when the oil man refused to answer the question of the pertinency of the question on which he was asked to answer.

"We shall show that the question is the indictment were pertinent to the inquiry," Hoover said. "And if we establish the facts, we shall look for a verdict of not guilty."

Rules Questions Pertinent.

Justice Hitz started the defense after it opened, by casually commenting that he considered as established the pertinency of the questions which Sinclair refused to answer.

He referred to the circumstance of Justice Hoehling, in overruling the government's motion, had had the six questions pertinent.

Martin Littleton, of defense counsel, immediately unfolded a torrent of argument, he expounded, was one of the vital elements in establishing the pertinency of the question.

Justice Hoehling, he argued, had stated merely the facts of the case for the jury to determine the pertinency of the indictment, but had not determined their pertinency.

The defense counsel which Justice Hoehling on Page 2, Column 1.

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